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## MUY PRONTO.

That's How it Happened  
to Alger.

President Quickly Accepts His  
Resignation.

Secretary Can Stay Only Until  
August First.

RUSSELL COMES UP SMILING.

Says He Feels Relieved of a  
Big Burden.

Will Give Way to Meiklejohn  
Next Monday.

Doesn't Know What He'll Do as  
to Senatorship.

TEXT OF THE OFFICIAL LETTERS.

Ellihu Root of New York Regarded As  
the Probable Successor of the  
Michiganese—What the London  
Papers Say of the Affair.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The follow-  
ing is Secretary Alger's letter of resig-  
nation and the President's reply to it:  
"WASHINGTON, July 19, 1899.—Sir:  
I beg to tender you my resignation  
of the office of Secretary of War, to  
take effect at such time in the near  
future as you may decide the affairs of  
this department will permit. In ter-  
minating my official connection with  
your administration, I wish for your  
continued health and the highest  
measure of success in carrying out the  
great work entrusted to you.  
"I have the honor to be, very respec-  
tfully,  
"Your obedient servant,  
[Signed] "R. A. ALGER."  
The President replied:  
"EXECUTIVE MANSION, July 20,  
1899.—Hon. R. A. Alger, Secretary of  
War: Your resignation of the office of  
Secretary of War, under date of July 19,  
is accepted to take effect the 1st of  
August, 1899. In thus severing the  
official relation which has continued  
for more than two years, I desire to  
thank you for the faithful service you  
have rendered the country at this most  
exacting period, and to wish you a  
long and happy life. With assurances  
of high regard and esteem, I am,  
yours sincerely,  
[Signed] "WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

TALK WITH ALGER.  
He Tells the Newspaper Men That  
He Feels "Relieved."  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Secretary  
Alger will relinquish the War port-  
folio before August 1. He called upon  
President McKinley at the White  
House this morning, shortly before  
noon, and was with him a few minutes.  
When he left he appeared to be in  
excellent spirits. His face was wreathed  
with smiles, as he expressed to several  
newspaper men who gathered about  
him his appreciation of their good  
wishes.  
"You feel relieved of a great bur-  
den," one of them suggested.  
"Yes, I do," replied the Secretary.  
"Hereafter I will only have my own  
burden to carry."  
The Secretary said that he would  
relinquish his portfolio as soon as  
the pending routine matters of the  
department were cleared up, and As-  
sistant Secretary Meiklejohn, to whom  
the War Office is to be turned over  
pending the appointment of Gen. Al-  
ger's successor, is ready to assume  
charge. Assistant Secretary Meikle-  
john wired this morning that he would  
be back Saturday.  
"I shall retire before August," said  
the Secretary.  
Gen. Alger said he would go back  
to Michigan, and for the present, at  
least, devote his time to his health.  
He said he knew nothing about his  
successor. Asked as to whether he  
would press his Senatorial candidacy,  
the Secretary replied: "I cannot tell  
now."  
Postmaster-General Smith saw the  
President today. As he left the White  
House, he gave an emphatic denial to  
the suggestion of his possible transfer  
to the War Office.  
"I have troubles enough of my own,"  
he said, smiling.  
Secretary Alger was an hour late  
in reaching his office, this morning.  
He spent that hour in going over his  
private correspondence at his resi-  
dence. There were more than the  
usual number of telegrams. Every  
member of the Secretary's family out-  
side of Washington wired approval of  
his action yesterday, and although the  
Secretary himself did not exhibit  
any of the others, there is reason to  
believe they included messages from  
some persons very prominent in polit-  
ical life.  
When Secretary Alger arrived at his  
office, he entered immediately into

## NOT SUCH A SURPRISE PARTY.

Capt. Byrne and Seventy Men  
of the Sixteenth Infantry At-  
tacked by Four Hundred and  
Fifty Natives—One Hundred  
and Fifteen of the Latter  
Killed and Many Wounded.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
MANILA, July 21, 11:15 a.m.  
—[By Manila Cable.] News has  
been received here from Gen.  
Smith, at Iloilo, island of Panay,  
of a severe fight Wednesday, at  
Bobong, between Capt. Byrne of  
the Sixteenth Infantry, with sev-  
enty men, and a force of 450 Bab-  
aylones, who surprised the Amer-  
ican troops.  
One hundred and fifteen of the  
enemy were killed, as is shown by  
actual count; many were wounded,  
and one was taken prisoner. The  
American loss was one man killed  
and one wounded. The fighting  
was mostly at close quarters with  
bayonets and clubbed guns.

A considerable stock of supplies  
and arms has been captured by  
Capt. Byrne, who is in command  
of the battalion operating at La  
Carlota, in the district of Negros.

conference with Adjt.-Gen. Corbin and  
Maj. Hopkins. Senator Fairbanks also  
called. He was taken into the private  
office, and half an hour was spent in  
conference.

WILL QUIT MONDAY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Secretary  
Alger will turn the War Department  
over to Assistant Secretary Meiklejohn  
Monday next, having today received  
a telegram from the latter at New  
London, Wis., stating that he would  
arrive in Washington Saturday night.  
The belief is gaining ground in well-  
informed circles that Ellihu Root,  
New York, will be tendered the Secre-  
taryship of War.

GREAT GUESSING MATCH.

Interest Now Attaches to the  
Question of Alger's Successor.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—[Exclusive  
Dispatch.] There is a splendid guess-  
ing match on here about who will  
be selected Secretary of War to suc-  
ceed Alger. Atty.-Gen. Griggs has  
been most prominently mentioned dur-  
ing the day, but considering the fact  
that Mr. Griggs himself said this even-  
ing that he would not accept if the  
place were offered to him, it is hardly  
probable that he will be selected, un-  
less he makes a most radical change  
of mind.  
There is a widely-circulated re-  
port tonight that President McKinley  
made a direct offer of the place to  
Gen. Harrison Gray Otis, and that  
Gen. Otis declined it. There is one  
crack-sure fact about this report; if  
such an offer were made and followed  
by a declination, Gen. Otis did not  
relinquish his place in Washington,  
but rather did he reiterate, over and  
over again, that he was not seeking  
a place under the government; that  
he had not been offered the war por-  
tfolio, and that he was not hunting  
for it. So much for that report.  
It looks much as if President Mc-  
Kinley is pretty seriously considering  
a tender of the position to Gen. Horace  
Porter, the new Ambassador to  
France. The Times correspondent has  
it upon good authority that the Pres-  
ident favors the claims of Gen. Porter  
upon the administration, and that at  
the present moment the matter of the  
vacant Secretaryship lies between Gen.  
Porter and Gen. James H. Wilson of  
Delaware. Gen. Wilson's friends ap-  
pear to be organizing something of a  
campaign in his behalf, but that will  
hardly help his chances. Alger was  
made Secretary because of his in-  
sistence, and that error is not going  
to be repeated.

President McKinley is going away  
pretty soon, and will spend consid-  
erable time at Lake Champlain. The  
news came from the White House, late  
this evening, that he will very likely  
allow Mr. Meiklejohn to act as Secre-  
tary of War for two or three weeks,  
and that the President will take plenty  
of time while on his vacation to make  
this appointment. This course has not  
been determined upon, but it is more  
apt to be followed than the one which  
has the President all ready to make  
the announcement. Then all candi-  
dates will be able to press their claims  
as much as they choose.

OTHER SUGGESTIONS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The most  
absorbing and generally-discussed  
topic here today was the choice of a  
successor to Secretary Alger. Many  
names were mentioned in the specula-  
tion, but it can best be stated with  
authority that at present the Presi-  
dent has not selected a successor.  
Long and Postmaster-General  
Smith, who were with the President  
for a short time, expressed the belief  
that no member of the Cabinet would  
see to be shifted to the War Depart-  
ment.  
Among the many names most promi-  
nently mentioned was that of Gen.  
Horace Porter, Ambassador to France.  
Senator Thurston of Nebraska called  
at the White House during the day  
and urged the promotion of Assistant  
Secretary Meiklejohn. Nearly every  
general who figured in the recent war  
has been mentioned as a possibility.  
Gen. James H. Wilson being about the  
most prominent in this class.  
A strong belief expressed in certain  
circles is that the successor of Mr.  
Alger will come from New York. In  
this connection the name of Ellihu  
Root has been suggested.  
A high administration official said  
today that the next Secretary of War  
will not only be a New Yorker, but

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## BILLY BOY SAT

Peace Reigned Among  
the Democrats.

He Held a Proxy from Two  
States at Chicago.

Delegates Will Sail Down the  
Drainage Canal.

Four Thousand Swelterers Attend  
the Silver-Alger-Anti-Expansion  
Meeting at the Auditorium.  
The Bimetallists in Committee.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, July 20.—No friction de-  
veloped at the meeting of the Demo-  
cratic National Committee today, and  
the men who made such belligerent  
assertions last night failed to make  
them good today. The only movement  
made by the silver men looking toward  
recognition by the National Com-  
mittee was during the afternoon,  
when the Ohio Valley Bimetallist  
League was admitted to the com-  
mittee rooms and James P. Tarvin of  
Kentucky, acting as spokesman, read  
the resolutions adopted by the com-  
mittee earlier in the day at the Pal-  
mer House. These resolutions de-  
manded that there be inserted in the  
next Democratic national platform  
planks opposing trusts and imperi-  
alism, and adhering to the silver ratio  
of 16 to 1.

"And along these lines we offer you  
our aid," said Tarvin. There was a  
tacit accord upon the word "these,"  
that seemed to imply that the sup-  
port of the bimetallists could be se-  
cured along no other lines than those  
marked out, but of this the com-  
mittee took no notice. The Ohio Val-  
ley Bimetallist League was courteously  
thanked for its proffer of assistance  
and assured that it would be called  
upon at such times as the National  
Committee felt in need of its assist-  
ance. That was the beginning and  
end of the silver episode.

The fight against P. J. Devlin, editor  
of the Press Bureau of the National  
Committee, was brought to a finish,  
the Harrison faction of Illinois secur-  
ing his deposition for the part taken  
by him as an officer of the National  
Committee in the last mayoralty elec-  
tion in Chicago, in assisting Altgeld.  
Beyond making several changes in  
the rules governing the committee,  
nothing else was done during the day.  
Section 1 of the rules, which pre-  
scribed the formation of the National  
Committee, was so amended as to  
permit the election of a vice-chair-  
man, to act when the chairman is un-  
able to be present. Upon the motion  
of Clayton of Alabama, sections 2, 3,  
4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10 of the rules were  
stricken out. They related chiefly to  
the powers of the chairman.

The fight between the Illinois fac-  
tions began as soon as Bryan arrived  
in the city, which was 8 o'clock in  
the morning. He was immediately met  
by men on both sides. The Harrison  
men asked that he remain away alto-  
gether. Bryan was in a dilemma, and  
for a long time would not declare  
himself as being in favor of the meet-  
ing or not. He said he had accepted  
the invitation for the meeting, and  
there was no apparent reason why he  
should decline at the last moment at  
the demand of a political faction hos-  
tile to that which had invited him to  
the city. At the same time, he ex-  
pressed himself as being anxious to  
avoid anything that would create fur-  
ther friction, and as a remedy pro-  
posed that the Altgeld people turn

## Points of the News in Today's Times.

[INDEX TO THE NEWS BUDGET.—Volume: Fresh A. P. Night  
Report and exclusive Times specials received by wire since dark last  
night, about 15 columns. Financial and Commercial, about 3 columns.  
Day Report (not so fresh) about 10 columns. Aggregate, 28 columns  
The Index (for both telegraphic and local news) refers to general classi-  
fication, subject and page.]

The City—Pages 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13.

Forestry convention closed... Los An-  
geles to have an air-lifting factory.  
Cooking and sewing experts before the  
Board of Education... Clyde Mattox,  
alleged triple murderer, arrested... A  
jury for courting cases hard to get...  
Simpson, colored dive-keeper heavily  
fined... Indian Institute's work...  
cruel horse-whipper fined... Proceed-  
ings of the Chautauqua Assembly...  
City departments' estimates must be  
reduced... Increased tax rate neces-  
sary... Proposed bicycle ordinance up  
again today... Franchise fight goes  
merely on... Ex-Sheriff Gibson and  
party back from the Klondike... Judge  
Clark's will filed for probate... All  
sides of McLean's troubles aired in  
court... Railroad man nearly decapitated  
at Saugus... Returned prospector  
says there is gold at San Roque... Ten-  
nis at Redondo... Mr. and Mrs. Cohen's  
statements in Inola Reed case.

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Covelo conflagration burns a block of  
buildings... Mining company incor-  
porated at Fresno... Old man hangs  
himself near Martinez... Conductor  
killed at Port Costa... Japan's flag  
hoisted on Marcus Island... Scurvy in  
Alaska.

over the control of the meeting to the  
National Committee.

Altgeld was personally willing that  
this should be done, but the majority  
of his adherents, who are bitter against  
the Harrison men, opposed it, and  
when the latter heard that there was  
opposition to the plan in the Altgeld  
camp, they openly championed the  
passing of the meeting under the con-  
trol of the National Committee. The  
arguments on both sides were hot and  
fierce for several hours, and there  
seemed to be no chance of a settlement.  
The large majority of the members  
of the National Committee declared  
themselves as being opposed to having  
anything to do with the meeting in  
any way. They maintained that they  
had a fight before the committee at  
that moment, born of the outraged  
feelings of the Harrison faction, be-  
cause it believed that the National  
Committee had taken part in a local  
matter without good reason, and they  
were disposed to keep their hands out  
of the present fight.

Finally Altgeld sent word to Bryan  
that if he considered that his at-  
tendance at the meeting would em-  
barrass him, he could feel at perfect  
liberty to remain away. The meeting  
could get along without him. This  
message was declared by the Altgeld  
people to be one of simple courtesy to  
Bryan, but the Harrison men declared  
that it was a message of sarcasm,  
which meant that if Bryan was afraid  
to keep his word to address the meet-  
ing, it would be a success without his  
presence.

It was late in the afternoon before  
Bryan made up his mind to at-  
tend the meeting. The Harrison peo-  
ple, who were in good humor over the  
defeat of Devlin before the committee,  
finally announced that he might at-  
tend the meeting without causing any  
hostility to himself in the Harrison  
camp. This message, however, had  
nothing to do with the conclusion  
reached by Bryan regarding the meet-  
ing, for he had decided to attend be-  
fore it reached him.

When the National Committee came  
to order in the clubhouse of the Sher-  
man House at 12 o'clock, all the States  
were represented, either by proxy or  
by their regular committeemen, with  
the exception of North Dakota, Ore-  
gon, Texas, Utah, Vermont, West Vir-  
ginia and Arizona. Bryan held a proxy  
for Michigan and South Dakota, and  
he was present throughout the meet-  
ings of the committee, although he  
did not take an active part in the pro-  
ceedings. Ex-Gov. Altgeld was offered  
the proxy of Committeeman White of  
Washington, but declined it, and Wil-  
liam J. Abbott of New York acted for  
that State. Mayor Harrison held the  
proxy for Alaska, but did not attend  
either session. Vice-Chairman Stone  
called the meeting to order in the fol-  
lowing words: "Gentlemen of the Dem-  
ocratic National Committee: Some  
time ago, the Jefferson Club of St.  
Louis gave a dinner to which it invited  
members of the National Committee  
for a conference. At that conference,  
which was not attended by a majority  
of the members of the committee, cer-  
tain matters developed, and it was  
deemed wise to call a general meeting  
of the National Committee. A resolu-  
tion to that effect was passed and  
sent to Chairman Jones, who is now  
absent. He approved the resolution,  
which declared that the meeting should  
be held in this city on this date. The  
meeting is now in session, and the  
gentlemen will please to come to order."

Congressman Ferguson of New Mex-  
ico was elected to fill the vacancy  
from that Territory, caused by the  
resignation of F. A. Manzanares. The  
chair then announced that it would  
be in order to consider the question of  
admitting the new man from Massa-  
chusetts, Corcoran, a gold Democrat  
from that State, protesting against his  
removal to make room for George Fred  
Williams. The matter was settled in  
favor of the latter, who retained the  
seat.

Vice-Chairman Stone announced that  
the committee, consisting of Commit-  
teemen Woodson, Troup and Daniels,  
appointed to investigate the charges  
made by the Harrison faction of Illi-  
nois against P. J. Devlin, editor of the  
Press Bureau of the National Commit-  
tee, was ready to report. The report

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## HIGH HONORS.

President Thanks Eighth  
Army Corps.

Special Medal to Be Given to  
Officers and Men.

They Preferred to Serve to  
Being Discharged.

Maj.-Gen. Otis Reports Storm Effects.  
Troops on Outposts Have Suf-  
fered—No Material Increase of  
Sickness—Troops on This Side.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The War  
Department today made public a letter  
from President McKinley to Gen. Otis  
thanking the men in the Philippines  
for their patriotism for remaining in  
service after the ratification of the  
treaty of peace. The message, which  
was forwarded through the War De-  
partment, is dated July 1, and is as  
follows:

"EXECUTIVE MANSION, Washing-  
ton, July 18, 1899.—Otis: The  
President desires to express in the most  
public manner his appreciation of the  
loyalty and patriotism shown by the vol-  
unteers and regulars of the Eighth Army  
Corps in performing willing service  
through severe campaigns and battles  
against the insurgents in Luzon, when,  
under the terms of their enlistment,  
they would have been entitled to their  
discharge upon the ratification of the  
treaty of peace with Spain.  
"This action on their part was noble  
and heroic. It will stand forth as an  
example of the self-sacrifice and pub-  
lic consecration which have ever char-  
acterized the American soldier.  
"In recognition thereof I shall  
recommend to Congress that a special  
medal of honor be given to the officers  
and soldiers of the Eighth Army Corps  
who performed this great duty volun-  
tarily and enthusiastically for their  
country.  
[Signed] "WILLIAM M'KINLEY."

TROOPS HAVE SUFFERED.

But No Material Increase of Sick-  
ness is Reported.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—The follow-  
ing dispatch has been received at the  
War Department:  
"MANILA (received July 20).—Adjut-  
ant-General, Washington: Storms  
still prevailing; barometer rising, indi-  
cating improving weather conditions;  
average rainfall July several years, 14 1/2  
inches; for twenty days July now  
closed. Atcheson's country flooded.  
Troops on outposts have suffered, and  
former lines of communication cut in  
some instances. Not serious. No ma-  
terial increase in sickness reported.  
Telegraphic communication maintained  
with San Fernando, Bacor and nearly  
all other points. Unable yet to coal re-  
turning transports.  
[Signed] "OTIS."

SMALL BOATS SERVICEABLE.

Capt. Parker Comments on Their  
Use in the Philippines.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Capt.  
Parker writes to the Navy Department  
from Manila, under date of June 6, ex-  
pressing satisfaction at the cordial co-  
operation of the army and navy in put-  
ting in service the small gunboats  
bought by the army to use in the rivers  
and bays during the military move-  
ments. Commander Sperry of the  
Yorktown reported to Capt. Parker  
from Iloilo that the army gunboat Al-  
bay had been supplied with officers and  
crew, Ensign W. H. Stanley being in  
command. This was done with some  
difficulty owing to the lack of men,  
since the capture of Capt. Gilmore's  
party at Bacor. The commanding of-  
ficer supplied an army detail of five  
men. Commander Sperry says the  
Yorktown needs more men, and he adds  
the following, as to a contemplated ex-  
pedition:  
"Gen. Smith has returned from Neg-  
ros, and he agrees with me that the  
service of the Albatross will be of the  
greatest possible value in breaking up  
the illicit traffic between Cebu, Panay  
and Negros, and in breaking up the  
gangs of insurgent marauders who are  
infesting the coast. My intention is to  
send the Albatross out tomorrow for a  
cruise of a week, more or less."

WEDNESDAY'S RECRUITS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, July 20.—The num-  
ber of enlistments yesterday were 451,  
making a total of 3129. The Thirty-first  
Regiment still leads, with 690 men.  
THE REFRIGERATOR PLANS AP-  
PROVED.  
[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]  
WASHINGTON, July 20.—Secretary  
Alger today approved plans for a  
refrigerator plant at Manila. The  
building will cost \$230,000 and the plant  
and machinery \$100,000.

GUINS BOOMED AT TRIESTE.

America's Great Admiral Heartily  
Welcomed by Austria.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

TRIESTE (Austria), July 20.—[By  
Atlantic Cable.] The United States  
cruiser Olympia, with Admiral Dewey  
on board, arrived here this morning.  
The Principal Il Picolo has a flattering  
article welcoming the admiral to Aus-  
tria. The Olympia will remain here  
about two weeks. Admiral Dewey's  
health is perfect. He has not decided  
whether he will go to Carlsbad, as had  
been announced, but it is not prob-  
able that he will do so. The admiral  
intends to visit Vienna.  
Upon her arrival here, the Olympia  
fired a salute of twenty-one guns,  
which was returned from the fort and  
four Austrian and one Greek warship.  
Subsequently, Admiral Dewey received



visits from the port authorities, United States Minister to Austria, Addison Morris and the staff of the legation and the consular corps. The foreign consuls were received by Admiral Dewey on board the Olympia during the forenoon.

The Olympia had a hard run to Aden, against a monsoon, but from that point on the weather was fine. Admiral Dewey expects to remain on board his flagship with the exception of occasional trips on shore. The Americans here find the weather cool and refreshing.

Most of the chief government officials are absent on leave. British Consul Churchill was the first caller on Admiral Dewey, and was saluted in the most cordial manner. United States Minister Harris will give a banquet in honor of Admiral Dewey.

DEWEY WAS SEASICK.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] LONDON, July 20.—The Trieste correspondent of the Daily Mail telegraphed that Admiral Dewey declared that he had small claim to be regarded as a hero. He said he was seasick and had coffee made him dreadfully sick before the battle of Manila began. The correspondent also said that Admiral Dewey will return to America shortly, via Bremen, in a mail steamer.

CAVALRY CAMPAIGN.

Mounted Soldiers are Necessary to Conquer Philippines.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Sun's Washington correspondent says that the President and his military advisers have determined that a decisive cavalry campaign is necessary in the Philippines, and to that end have already begun to make preparations for augmenting the forces under Gen. Otis, with more mounted men of the regular and volunteer services. Orders preparatory to sending eight troops of the Third Cavalry to Manila, with the necessary number of horses, were issued today, and the Quartermaster-General's Department chartered three large steamships to carry the animals. It is said that this action of the administration was based on a recommendation from Gen. Otis, who has come to the conclusion that a large force of cavalry can be used in Luzon with great effect, and in the insurgent Gen. Otis has had only four troops of cavalry, and these have been used chiefly in reconnaissance. The character of the campaign followed by the Philippines is such that they cannot be closely followed by infantry, without great fatigue to the soldiers.

Military authorities here believe that with a large force of cavalry the retrograde tactics of the rebels can be checked, and retreat turned into rout. Authorities are of the opinion that if Gen. Otis had several cavalry regiments, his plans for bagging the insurgents would not have met with failure. Horses and cavalrymen are to be sent to the Philippines in time to engage in the expected campaign at the beginning of the dry season.

In addition to eight troops of the Third Cavalry, a volunteer cavalry regiment is to be organized and sent to Manila, and enough horses will be transported to the Philippines to enable Gen. Otis to mount at least one infantry regiment.

The War Department anticipates no difficulty in raising a regiment of volunteer cavalry, which will be modeled after Roosevelt's Rough Riders. Assurance has been received that several troops can be organized from men in New Mexico and other parts of the southwest, who served with the Rough Riders. This regiment will consist of 1400 enlisted men, divided into twelve troops of 120 men each.

TRANSPORTS FOR HORSES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, July 20.—The request for the recently called request of Gen. Otis for 4000 horses for use in the Philippines during the fall campaign, the Quartermaster's Department has chartered three vessels capable of carrying half that number, the first of which will probably leave Seattle August 10. The vessels are the Garonne, the Port Albert and the Victoria. The Garonne will be able to take 150 first-class passengers.

NURSES FOR PHILIPPINES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, July 20.—The 6 o'clock train for San Francisco carried nine more trained nurses for the Philippines, sent out under the auspices of Auxiliary No. 3 for the maintenance of trained nurses. Following is the list: Miss Duensin, Barbara Zeigler, Mary M. Sumner, Helen Fraser, Katharine Yeckel, Amy Pope, Carlotta Marshall, Lydia E. Coakley, Mary Murray. They are instructed to report immediately to Maj.-Gen. Shafter on their arrival at San Francisco next Tuesday morning.

AN ALLEGED INTERVIEW.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] CHICAGO, July 20.—A special to the Tribune from Cincinnati says that Brig.-Gen. Thomas M. Anderson, who is at the St. Nicholas, said today: "I believe that if we had not been held back I could have finished the war with my own division, and Gen. Lawton, who relieved me, is of the same opinion. The trouble is that we fellows went over there to fight, while there were others who attended to the politics and diplomacy."

ON DRESS PARADE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—The Oregon troops will wear dress parade tomorrow for the first time since their arrival from Manila. The regiment will be reviewed by Gen. Summers and Col. Freeman, commandant at the post.

OFFICER'S SUICIDE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] MANILA, July 20, 5:55 p.m.—Lieut. J. Moore of the Iowa regiment shot himself today, while temporarily insane.

The steamship Saturnus has returned from Apari and reported that Aguinaldo hearing that the inhabitants were prepared to welcome the Americans if they came concentrated 2000 troops there and fortified the town and coast approaches strongly.

OREGON TROOPS' DRESSING.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] WASHINGTON, July 20.—Investigation of the complaint that the Oregon troops were not properly clothed, brings out the fact that the quartermaster of that regiment turned into the quartermaster at San Francisco a considerable amount of clothing, including more than 700 great coats, a number of blankets and heavy underclothing. This clothing, when received by the United States, is not charged to the regiment, and is accepted if it has not been used.

A Kansas City, Mo., dispatch says Schwarzhild & Sulzberger's local packing plant will reopen today, the trouble with the 100 men who packed the goods a week ago, having been amicably settled.

## MRS. HYNES ELOPES.

COAST RECORD.

NIECE OF EX-MAYOR ROWAN OF THIS CITY.

She Preferred the Company of a Merchant Tailor and His Cornet and Sailed Away With Him to Hawaii.

The Deserted Husband the Secretary of San Francisco's City of Paris Store—Three Little Children Motherless.

Covelo Narrowly Escapes Destruction—Big Optum Case—Airman Grand Jury Causes a Sensation—Vallejo Tragedy.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At last the mystery of the disappearance of Mrs. William J. Hynes, wife of the well-known secretary of the City of Paris dry-goods store of San Francisco, is explained. She is in Honolulu, whither she went last April, and gossip says her departure was an elopement with Matthew Grennan of the firm of Grennan Brothers, merchant tailors. The two sailed away from San Francisco in the spring, and are now living in Hawaii.

Mrs. Hynes is a handsome woman of 32 years, a niece of an ex-Mayor of Los Angeles, Thomas Rowan, and was married to William J. Hynes more than thirty years ago. They have three charming children, whom the young mother apparently worshipped, and how she could forsake them is a puzzle to her friends.

Hynes is one of the best amateur minstrels on the coast. He sings jolly songs in Irish or negro dialect, and his wife often played accompaniment for him. She was a clever musician, and the two were seemingly inseparable. Their home at No. 741 Clayton street is a comfortable one, and music was their daily relaxation. Grennan, good-looking, gay and smooth, brought his cornet and helped to spend merry hours, the Hynes and he met at parties and places of amusement and enjoyed one another's company immensely.

One day, about the last of April, when her husband was at his desk, Mrs. Hynes sent the children in care of a servant to the park. She watched them disappear around the corner, and when she came back, she would not be home to dinner, but would go to her mother's, she hurried to the wharf. An hour later she was on the sea in a sailing ship, and on the same vessel was "Mat" Grennan and his cornet.

Hynes still believes his wife will return. He has her elopement due to temporary insanity.

ARIZONA WASHOUT.

Accident to an East-bound Train at Stanwix Yesterday.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—An accident occurred to passenger train No. 9, east-bound, at Stanwix at 2 o'clock this morning. Stanwix is in the heart of the Maricopa district, and is a few miles this side of Gila Bend. A work-train was fixing a break caused by floods when No. 9 came along. It flagged the passenger train to stop, and was making for a siding. A sudden rush of water came down from the mountain and racing toward the track it out, completely overturning the engine and baggage car of the passenger train. No one was injured.

OVERLAND TRAIN DELAYED.

The El Paso overland train, due in this city at 9:25 o'clock p.m., on the Southern Pacific Railroad, failed to arrive last night, and information received from the postal authorities was to the effect that it had been wrecked near Sentinel, Ariz. At 1:30 o'clock this morning the train dispatcher in the Arizona report reported that the overland was just leaving Yuma, and that it had merely been delayed by washouts in Central Arizona. He said the train would reach Los Angeles between 9 and 10 o'clock a.m. today.

VALLEJO TRAGEDY.

Henry Eltringham Arrested for Killing John W. Clark.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN ANDREAS, July 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dist.-Atty. McCorley sprang something of a sensation today when he ordered the arrest of Henry Eltringham, slayer of John W. Clark, the alleged seducer of Eltringham's wife, at Vallejo Monday last, for execution on a charge of murder in the first degree. This action, taken in the face of the coroner's jury exonerating Eltringham from blame for the deed, indicates that the District Attorney is not satisfied with the verdict, nor with the sentimentality of the crime.

Sentiment in the community has greatly changed since the jury adjourned, and the action of the District Attorney meets general approval. The mythical and pathologically incredible morphone story, the tales told by the confessed conspiracy to kill Clark and his wife, and the conduct of the woman, judged by her own testimony, on second sober thought raised doubts which promise a denouement of the tragedy rarely equaled in the county.

Clark was killed Monday, the result of a conspiracy entered into Sunday evening between Eltringham and Mrs. Eltringham's father and brother. Eltringham claimed to have a confession from his wife involving Clark in the violation of his home, and he sent for the father and brother-in-law. At this council it was agreed that all should meet at the Eltringham home the following day, armed, and lie in wait for Clark. They did meet, and Clark was a dead man at 9 o'clock in the morning. Evidence secured by the District Attorney shows the woman was used as a decoy to lead Clark on, and that her story of drugging is fiction. The woman's story of her feelings toward the man and her conduct with him are revolting, but are told without sign of remorse by her.

She declared on oath that she thought him her old lover—there is a bar in her life—and that she loved him, "but," looking up at her brawny husband near by, she quickly added: "But I don't now. I love Henry." Her husband told her Friday, the alleged drugging Saturday, the presentation of the picture and ring on this Saturday morning, and then

## COVELO CONFLAGRATION.

California City Miraculously Escapes Destruction at Midnight.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] COVELO, July 20.—This city was visited by a most disastrous fire at midnight last night, and a miraculous escape from destruction. As a result of the conflagration, an entire block in the business portion of the town is in ashes. The fire originated in a stable owned by Frank Youre, and in a few minutes was beyond control. A general alarm was sounded.

The buildings burned are: Covelo Livestock Stable, with vehicles and horses, insured for \$1500; two saloons with stock and fixtures owned by Youre, insured, and a dwelling owned by T. B. Henne. The estimated loss will exceed \$5000. There is no doubt that the fire was purposefully started, as a peddler, who was sleeping in a barn, discovered the fire, and as he rushed toward it, a man whom he knew by sight, quickly stole away in the darkness.

ADMONITION TO IMPROVEMENT.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] COVELO, July 20.—The authorities have placed Joseph Bradburn, a sheep herder and cowboy, under arrest on suspicion of being responsible for last night's blaze. Bradburn claims relationship with Jesse James, the notorious outlaw, but protests his innocence.

JAPAN WANTS AN ISLAND.

Her Flag Hoisted at Marcus—Other Oriental News.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

VANCOUVER (B. C.), July 20.—According to Japanese advices, Japan has hoisted her flag on Weeks or Marcus Island, fearing the United States would take it for a coaling station. News from Manchuria says the Russians have caused Chinese to stop working some gold mines that employed 2000 men, because the Russians are going to take possession of them. They also took over the mines of Mukden from Chinese, and paid nothing for them. All these mines are near the railway. Despite all reports to the contrary, Russia has not yet taken anything of the vigor hitherto displayed in fortifying Vladivostok and in furnishing it with all the appliances of a great commercial port. The Russian declaration to resolve the further sum of 13,000,000 roubles on the place has an unmistakable import on the Korean problem.

Near Tokyo, July 1, a train was overturned and twenty-four passengers were injured. At Canton a junk foundered in a storm and sixty women and children were drowned.

AN ARIZONA SENSATION.

Grand Jury of Santa Cruz County Indicts Prominent Men.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NOGALES (Ariz.), July 20.—The grand jury of Santa Cruz, the baby county of Arizona, created a sensation by its final report, which was filed in the District Court today. The grand jury found two indictments against Allen T. Bird, editor of the Oasis, for libeling the Supervisors, and filed two scathing arraignments against W. P. Harlow, District Attorney, for kidnapping and for a conspiracy to defraud. Harlow ordered a deputy sheriff to arrest four citizens of Nogales, and force them across the line into Mexico, where they were shot and immediately shot by the authorities that republic without a trial. This act brings up an international question of magnitude, and has created indignation on both sides of the line. The parties indicted are those who secured the removal of Collector of Customs Chenoweth, and the laborers of the Grand Jury may open his case at Washington.

Lent on Poor Security.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—According to an opinion by Assistant Attorney-General Sturtevant, Mrs. Myra E. Wright of San Jose is liable to have a trouble in recovering the \$100,000 lent to the Union Savings Bank of San Jose. The opinion was in response to an inquiry by the State Bank Commission, and the early part of this year W. H. Wright was one of the directors of the bank, which is now in liquidation. His wife advanced the \$100,000 to the bank, and the payment of the loan the bank directors gave her a deed on the bank property. Sturtevant advises the bank commissioners to inform the officials now in charge of the bank that the Wright contracts are worthless.

Santa Barbara Man Missing.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—A. A. Van Voorhees of Santa Barbara is missing, and the police of this city are endeavoring to learn whether he is dead or alive. He was last heard of at Port Harford, where while a passenger on the steamer Corona for this city, June 10, he wrote a letter to his wife, telling her that he was dead and she was free. He had \$5000 in his pocket, and had with him three nickel-in-the-slot machines, which are still unclaimed. The missing man is a nephew of A. A. Van Voorhees of Sacramento.

Scurvy in Alaska.

SEATTLE (Wash.), July 20.—F. Spelley of St. Mary's, O., a recent arrival from Alaska, reports much scurvy in the Koyukuk district last winter. In his opinion 30 per cent of the miners on Allenkette River had it. Though a large number died, he can recall only two names: George McGraw and James McGraw of New York. Both died at Arctic City. Three members of an English party that went up the Koyukuk on the small steamer Research, are reported to have become insane.

Mining Company Incorporated.

FRESNO, July 20.—Articles of incorporation of the Chevreton Mining Company, have been filed with the County Clerk. The capital stock has been fixed at \$150,000, divided into 2000 shares of the par value of \$75 each. The directors are W. H. McKenzie, Algoner Carey, A. H. Nutt, M. M. Parsons, G. L. Moore, G. L. Long and N. P. Jasty.

Lumber Trust Being Formed.

VANCOUVER (B. C.), July 20.—Sawmill men of East and West Kootenai, and Boundary Creek are forming a trust. Arrangements are now being made to pool all the interests of lumber and millmen in the interior of British Columbia. A big joint stock company will be formed to control the price of lumber in the rich districts of the province.

AMERICAN MARU'S PASSENGERS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—The passengers who arrived from the Orient yesterday were detained at the quarantine station on Angel Island, as a precautionary measure, owing to a case of illness on board the vessel, were released this evening and brought to this city.

STRIKES.

BOB AT BROOKLYN.

DEADLY INSTRUMENT FOUND UNDER STREET-CAR TRACK.

Riots on Second Avenue are Followed by Quiet in Both of the Cities Where Railway Men are Out.

General Master Workman Parsons Charges the Police With Merciless Brutality and Intimidates Trouble is Brewing.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—The strike in Brooklyn up to 10 o'clock this morning resulted in no important changes. A meeting was held last night in Kings-Town Hall by 150 employees of the Rapid Transit Company, who never had a local assembly. It was decided to meet again tonight, at which time an organization will be effected and if the majority indorses such action, the men will quit work.

What is believed to be a bomb was found near the down track of the Second Avenue line at Seventy-ninth street about 1:30 o'clock this afternoon. Wires protruded from each end and they had been fixed under the track, evidently with the intention of being set off by the electric current, when a car passed over the spot.

NEW YORK IS QUIET.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—Although General Master Workman Parsons said yesterday that today was to be the big day for the strikers in Manhattan borough, this morning opened in the quietest way so far as the strikers were concerned. Almost without exception the cars on all lines started from their horns on schedule time. Notwithstanding the claims of the officials on the various lines that they would not be affected by the strike, General Master Workman Parsons issued a statement today in which he declared that the strike was practically total.

BRUTALITY IS CHARGED.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

NEW YORK, July 20.—General Master Workman Parsons accused the police of merciless brutality and said that if Devery men continued to pursue the same course that they had followed in the past, he would not be responsible for what the men might do. The strikers were men and Americans and there was a limit beyond which policemen could not go. He accused the police of interfering in any way with the trolley magnates, owing to the influence of William C. Whitney and Hugh J. Grant.

## MUY PRONTO.

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as a lawyer as well. The authority for this statement was in consultation with the President today, and he stated that while it may be said as yet, the action has not been finally passed upon, New York, now without representation, has the strongest claim for recognition.

LOOKS LIKE ROOF.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] WASHINGTON, July 20.—No definite information was obtainable tonight as to the President's selection for a successor to Alger as Secretary of War. This may be due to the fact that a tender of the office is under consideration by the gentleman chosen. There is a desire on the part of the President that Gen. Alger's successor shall be a lawyer of attainments and high standing in the profession, because of the colonial and other questions involving legal construction constantly arising in the War Department, now that the army is administering affairs in the islands relinquished by Spain.

It is felt advisable, from a political point of view, that the new man should not be from New York, which has been without representation in the Cabinet since Secretary Bliss resigned. The gentleman whose name has been under careful consideration as meeting the requirements is Elihu B. Root, but whether he has been communicated with on the subject cannot be learned definitely, though there is apparently good ground to believe that he has.

"ALGER IS A BLOT."

Comment of London Papers on the Secretary's Resignation.

[A. P. EARLY MORNING REPORT.]

LONDON, July 20.—The Standard this morning in an editorial article regarding the resignation of Secretary of War Alger, says: "The resignation of Secretary Alger's resignation is equivalent to an admission that the War Department has been badly managed. It is significant that the resignation followed so quickly on Major-General Parsons' resignation. Alger is the great blot on the McKinley administration. It has given the enemies of the Imperialist policy the most effective weapon that could be forged, and President McKinley can wear it from them only by the appointment of a successor whose past commands respect."

The Times describes the resignation

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as a decided victory for public opinion and public morals over political organizations. It is for the citizens of the United States to take care that the removal of a superficial symptom does not divert their attention from the root of the mischief."

The Daily News says:



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# SPORTING RECORD.

## SCREAMING FARCE.

### JEFFERDS AND BOB JONES A PAIR OF DUBS.

Man Who Challenged Jeffords Was Unable to Land on the Los Angeles Coon Who Showed the White Feather.

Negro Crouched in a Corner and Covered His Face With His Hands Until He Rolled Over on His Back.

Sir Thomas Lipton Says Shamrock Is Not Damaged—Columbia Goes to Newport—Detroit's Big Race.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Jim Jeffords, who has issued a deft to Champion Jeffords and agreed to stand before him for four rounds, made a hazy show of his awkwardness at the National Club tonight. The preliminary bout was between him and Bob Jones, a husky negro of Los Angeles, and was a screaming farce.

Jones belongs to the "Mexican Pete" and Sam Prewitt class. Jeffords was awkward, and was unable to land an effective blow on Jones, though the latter would crouch in a corner, cover his face with his hands and let Jeffords practice on him. Jeffords' wild attempts to hit Jones and his wonderful ability to miss him made the spectators scream with laughter.

Finally, in the fifth round, when the farce was beginning to get monotonous, Jeffords rushed Jones into a corner for the twentieth time. Jones fell through the ropes and lay on the platform on his back, not trying to get up for some seconds. Thinking he had been counted out, he started to crawl through the ropes, but kept on his hands and knees until the referee called out ten. Both men were hooted out of the ring. This settles Jeffords' claims to be in the championship class.

### GREEN WHIPS GOFF.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—George Green and Charlie Goff, middleweights, met at Woodward's Pavilion tonight in a twenty-round glove contest before 3500 people. They agreed not to hit in the clinches, and the result was a good clean and careful fight. In the first nine rounds Green did most of the leading, but Goff countered well on his opponent's body. In the ninth Green rushed matters, and had Goff in difficulty at one time, but the gong prevented any decisive work.

From the ninth to the eighteenth round the fighting was slow and rather tame, and the crowd became noisy and jeered the fighters. In the eighteenth, however, they mixed matters in a lively fashion. Green landed a couple of left swings on Goff's jaw, sending him down for the nine-second limit, but the gong saved Goff from being knocked out in this round. In the nineteenth round Goff came up rather groggy, and was forced to the ropes by Green's rush. Goff fell and Green went over him, out of the ring and onto the floor, landing on his back. Although his fall was a severe one, he got up quickly and climbed back into the ring, and went after his man with a rush, who had waited for him in the center of the ring. After several ineffectual attempts to land a knockout, Green got in a hard left swing on Goff's jaw, and followed it with a right on the point of the chin. Goff went to the floor on his back and was counted out. He did not recover sufficiently to walk out of the ring for more than five minutes.

The preliminary between Jim Jeffords of Solano and Bob Jones, colored, of Los Angeles, was a real boxing farce. Neither man knew anything about fighting, and their attempts were ludicrous. The colored man wore an apparatus about his chest to protect his face, and although Jeffords hammered away until he became tired, he could not hurt him. In the fifth round Jones fell down from a rush and pretended he had injured his back. He stayed down until he was counted out by Referee Cook.

### ROYAL BARON WINS.

Ten-thousand-dollar Trotting Stake at Detroit a Surprise.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] DETROIT (Mich.), July 20.—Against the unexpected happened in the Merchants' and Manufacturers' \$10,000 trotting stake this afternoon. Royal Baron was the winner of the rich prize. The final heat of the 2:07 class, unfinished last night, was won in the fast time of 2:07 1/4 by Sherman Clay. Bel Esprit in the 2:07 trot had no trouble in winning. Edith W. trotted the first heat of the 2:12 pace to Fanny Dillard, and after that she was not in danger.

The Abbot was favorite in the fast trotting class, and justified his selection. Geers captured the first heat with one of his famous drives in the stretch. When The Abbot broke before the first eighth in the next heat it put him out for the time being, but in the last two he was steady as clockwork, and won both Geers afterward explained that Kentucky Union's sulky had bumped into him.

### SHAMROCK DAMAGE SLIGHT.

Sir Thomas Lipton Convinced That the Challenger Is Uninjured.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] SOUTHAMPTON, July 20.—Sir Thomas Lipton, owner of the Shamrock, said today: "We are so convinced that yesterday's grounding of the Shamrock was perfectly harmless that we are not even going to have the yacht examined." The Shamrock sailed for the Clyde this afternoon.

### HE LIKES THE SHAMROCK.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] LONDON, July 20.—William Fife, Jr., the naval architect and designer of the Shamrock, in a letter to his father expresses great satisfaction with the result of the Shamrock's trials Tuesday and Wednesday. He says that the yacht sailed as a rowboat, and is undoubtedly very speedy, and is not much more than a week's work on the Columbia.

### COLUMBIA LEAVES BRISTOL.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] BRISTOL (R. I.), July 20.—The cup defender, Columbia, left for Newport at 6:30 o'clock this morning. In tow of her tender, the St. Michael, the Columbia is ready for her races with the old yacht Defender, which will be started tomorrow. There still remains most which is to replace the one of Oregon pine, now in use on the Columbia.

### APPRECIATES AMERICAN COURTESY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] SOUTHAMPTON, July 20.—Sir

Thomas Lipton says: "I would like to reiterate through the Associated Press my heartiest appreciation of the manner in which the Americans have conducted all negotiations. They have acted throughout like sportsmen, and if I had made all arrangements myself I could not have drawn up more satisfactory regulations."

### EASTERN BASEBALL.

Umpire Beats Boston Out of a Brilliant Game.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] BOSTON, July 20.—A decision by Embley in the seventh inning, disallowing a brilliant catch of a hot liner by Collins, whereby a double play was made with Tenney, was responsible for St. Louis's victory today. The decision caused manifestations of disappointment. The attendance was 3500. Score: Boston, 2; hits, 4; errors, 1. St. Louis, 3; hits, 8; errors, 1.

Batteries—Willis and Bergen; Young and O'Connor. Umpires—Embley and McDonald.

[WASHINGTON-CLEVELAND.] WASHINGTON, July 20.—The Senators bunched their hits in the seventh and eighth innings. The attendance was 1200. Score: Washington, 4; hits, 8; errors, 4. Cleveland, 0; hits, 5; errors, 1.

Batteries—Weyhing and Kittredge; Knipper and Schreckengost. Umpires—Gaffney and Latham.

### NEW YORK-CHICAGO.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, July 20.—The New Yorks won by good batting in the first inning. The attendance was 1000. Score: New York, 4; hits, 6; errors, 2. Chicago, 1; hits, 6; errors, 1.

Batteries—Seymour and Warner; Garvin and Donahue. Umpires—O'Day and McGarr.

### CINCINNATI-BALTIMORE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] BALTIMORE, July 20.—McGraw's poor throw in the seventh lost the game for the Orioles. The attendance was 1250. Score: Baltimore, 4; hits, 10; errors, 2. Cincinnati, 2; hits, 9; errors, 1.

Batteries—Kitsen and Robinson; Hawley and Wood. Umpires—Lynch and Connolly.

### LOUISVILLE-PHILADELPHIA.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] PHILADELPHIA, July 20.—Louisville won by good opportune hitting. The attendance was 4700. Score: Louisville, 6; hits, 14; errors, 2. Philadelphia, 3; hits, 10; errors, 2.

Batteries—Phillips and Zimmer; Magee and McFarland. Umpires—Manassau and Smith.

### BROOKLYN-PITTSBURGH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.] NEW YORK, July 20.—Two bases on balls, two hits and a couple of wild throws gave four runs to Brooklyn in the first inning. The Pittsburghs could do nothing with Hughes. The attendance was 2200. Score: Pittsburgh, 2; hits, 11; errors, 6. Brooklyn, 9; hits, 11; errors, 3.

Batteries—Leever and Bowerman; Hughes and McGuire. Umpires—Swartwood and Hunt.

### Brighton Beach Races.

NEW YORK, July 20.—There were two stakes and a special sweepstakes on the card today at Brighton Beach, and they drew a large crowd to the track. Five furlongs, selling: Her Ladyship won, Midwood second, Smoke third; time 1:15 1/4. Mile: Cambrian won, Charentus second, Grey Jacques third; time 1:41. The Distaff, five and a half furlongs: Presidenc won, Jugglers second, Laureate third; time 1:08 3/4. The Babylon, selling, seven furlongs: Sky Scrapper won, St. Clair second, Royster third; time 1:27 1/4. Six furlongs: Prince of Melbourne won, Plucky second, Shoreham third; time 1:15 1/4. Mile and a quarter, selling: Dan Rice won, Leanda second, Passaic third; time 1:49 3/4.

### Hawthorne Ends.

CHICAGO, July 20.—The weather was clear and the track fast at Hawthorne today. Five furlongs: Erla d'Or won, Merito second, Zane third; time 1:01 1/4. Seven furlongs, selling: Mary Kinzella won, Loyalista second, Pitfall third; time 1:24. Murat finished first, but was disqualified for pulling. Seven furlongs, selling: Fair Deceiver won, Sim second, Miss Ross third; time 1:28. Mile and a quarter, selling: Finer won, Mayme M. M. second, Prince Blazes third; time 2:09 1/4. Mile: Gadsden won, Three Bars second, Falst lead third; time 1:43 1/4. Mile: Silver Tone won, Jim McClevey second, Uncle Abv third; time 1:41 1/4.

### St. Louis Card.

ST. LOUIS, July 20.—The track was fast and dusty. Selling, six furlongs: Fourth Ward won, Hill Billy second, Lady Osborne third; time 1:15 1/4. Six and a half furlongs: Alleviate won, Guide Book second, Sly third; time 1:23 1/4. Selling, two-year-olds, six furlongs: Arthur Bohan won, Can Robert second, Glissando third; time 1:18 1/4. Selling, mile and seventy yards: Ransom won, Livadia second, Friesland third; time 1:48 1/4. Mile: Trimmer won, Ladass second, El Ghor third; time 1:44.

### Jockey Martin Cheered.

LIVERPOOL, July 20.—The American Jockey, Martin, made his first appearance in the English track today at the Liverpool July meeting. In the race for the St. George's stakes of 1000 sovereigns Martin finished first on Sir Walsde Griffith's Sweet Marjorie. The betting was 10 to 1 against Sweet Marjorie. Martin created a most favorable impression, and was heartily cheered after winning. He has been engaged to ride Sir Walsde Griffith's St. Ja for the Liverpool Cup tomorrow.

### INOLA REED CASE.

Her Late Employer Indignant at Baseless Slanders.

Susan Cohen, the tailor in whose shop, at No. 619 West Seventh street, Inola Reed worked until sent by her sister, Mrs. Stone of Pasadena, to the Salvation Army Rescue Home, is highly indignant at certain portions of the actions and words of the girl's relatives. "I am a man of family, with a wife and children," said Mr. Cohen yesterday, "and since it is necessary for me to employ a number of girls in my shop all the time, I have been greatly distressed by the baseless things that have been said about me. My shop is here in my own home, and my wife is in the workroom with the girls almost constantly. We have never had anything for three months and a half. She was very bright and industrious and learned more about her trade in six weeks than

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LOT D22  
\$1.25 Boys' Shoes 79c  
Cass, calf, spring heel, coin toe, lace, 9 to 13.

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\$1.50 Boys' Shoes 98c  
Cass, calf, lace, kid top, sizes 12 to 2.

LOT D25  
\$1.75 Boys' Shoes 1.34  
Porpoise calf, lace, coin toe, sizes 12 to 2.

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\$1.50 Boys' Shoes 1.08  
Sizes 2 1/2 to 5 1/2, calf, lace.

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50c Knee Pants, 26c  
Checks, plaids and stripes, ages 4 to 14.

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\$3.00 Child's Suits, 1.39  
Vestee, reofer and blouse suits; ages 3 to 8 years.

LOT G3  
\$4.00 Child's Suits, 2.24  
Swell reofers, blouse and vestee suits; ages 3 to 8.

LOT G4  
\$2.50 Boys' Suits 1.06  
Double breasted coats, knee pants, eight to sixteen years.

LOT G6  
\$4.00 Boys' Suits 2.67  
Knee pants suits, blue, black, and fancy chevrons; ages 8 to 16.

LOT G8  
\$5 Youths' Suits 2.96  
Coat, vest and long pants, black, brown and grey chevrons; ages 13 to 19.

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\$6.50 Youths' Suits 4.16  
Ages 13 to 19 years, coat, vest and long pants, fancy mixed chevrons.

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LOT I8  
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Fast black, seamless ribbed.

LOT I5  
25c Boys' Hose, 9c  
Black and tan, double thread, seamless.

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35c Boys' Underwear 23c  
Medium weight, summer underwear.

LOT I8  
50c Boys' Underwear 18c  
Summer weight, good balbriggens.

LOT I9  
50c Boys' Waists, 32c  
Fine flannel, waists and blouses.

LOT I12  
50c Boys' Shirts 28c  
Laundried, collar and cuffs attached.

LOT I14  
60c Boys' Shirts 39c  
Madras golf shirts, two extra collars.

LOT I16  
75c Boys' Shirts 49c  
Golf shirts, cuffs and two collars.

LOT I6  
35c Boys' Hose 19c  
Tan and black, three thread hose.

\$3.00 Boys' Wash Suits 1.48

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Round and square cut chevrons, cassimeres and worsteds.

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Single and double-breasted sacks and cutaway serge, chevrons and worsteds.

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\$20.00 Men's Suits 16.18  
Frocks and single or double-breasted, worsted, cassimeres and worsteds.

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\$1.50 Men's Pants 89c  
White duck pants, all sizes.

LOT F3  
\$3.50 Men's Pants 2.31  
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LOT D2  
\$2.00 Ladies' Oxfords 22c  
Small sizes, the odds and ends.

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\$2.50 Ladies' Oxfords 44c  
A clean up of several two-fifty lines.

LOT D4  
\$3.00 Ladies' Oxfords 66c  
Fifty different lines, not all sizes.

LOT D5  
\$2.00 Ladies' Oxfords 1.19  
All sizes, new styles, black and tan, silk vesting and kid top.

LOT D6  
\$2.50 Ladies' Oxfords 1.39  
Kid or vesting top, all styles and sizes, black or tan.

LOT D7  
\$3.00 Ladies' Oxfords 1.97  
Very latest styles in fine \$3.00 Oxfords, all sizes and widths.

LOT D9  
\$2.50 Ladies' Shoes 36c  
Nearly all small sizes or narrow widths.

LOT D10  
\$3.00 Ladies' Shoes 72c  
The odds and ends of twenty styles.

LOT D11  
\$4.00 Ladies' Shoes 1.06  
Three hundred pairs, not all sizes or widths.

LOT D12  
\$2.00 Ladies' Shoes 1.19  
Lace or button, coin toes, all sizes, tan and black.

LOT D13  
\$2.50 Ladies' Shoes 1.47  
Black kid, all sizes, new styles, lace and button.

LOT D14  
\$3.00 Ladies' Shoes 1.97  
Hand turned and welt, coin toes, all sizes, lace and button.

# Children's Shoes.

LOT D16  
30c Infants' Shoes 18c  
Kidskin button, sewed soles, sizes 2 to 4.

LOT D18  
\$1 Child's Shoes 78c  
Lace or button, size 6 to 8, common toes.

LOT D19  
\$1.25 Children's Shoes 73c  
Tan or black kid, sizes 8 1/2 to 12, coin toe.

LOT D20  
\$1.50 Misses' Shoes 98c  
Tan and black, lace or button sizes 12 1/2 to 2, coin toes.

LOT D21  
\$2.00 Misses' Shoes 1.39  
Lace or button, flexible soles, latest styles, sizes 12 1/2 to 2.

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LOT D26  
\$3.00 Men's Shoes. 69c  
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35c Men's Underwear 18c  
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50c Men's Underwear 31c  
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25c Men's Ties 14c  
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**A Live Topic.**  
[Virginia City Chronicle:] The Phoenix Republican takes issue with the Los Angeles Times regarding the latter's statements concerning the ceding of the arid lands to the States and Territories, and the Times' condemnation of Gov. Murphy's of Arizona attitude on the question. The Republican protests that Gov. Murphy has done more for Arizona than any other man in the Territory; has made a national reputation while in Congress, and is recognized as one of the strongest men in the country. The Times rejoins that it has never intimated anything to the contrary, but that forsooth, it does not follow as a logical sequence that the views of Gov. Murphy which favor the ceding of the lands to the States are wise or correct. The Republican says there is no present hope of getting Congress to vote money for the building of reservoirs, because residents of the agricultural States east of the arid region are against further competition in the raising of crops, and that forsooth, we should all join in the movement for the cession of these lands to the States and Territories. This the Times maintains is a false premise. The idea that because the right road is a difficult one to travel, we should take to the broad and easy road that lead to destruction, is pusillanimous and unworthy of Americans. The irrigation of the arid lands of the United States is a big question, involving the expenditure of a large amount of money. It always takes time to educate public opinion on these important questions and to get Congress to act. So it is with the great question of

irrigating the arid lands, and so making homes for millions of American citizens, at no ultimate cost to the government, but Congress is slowly but surely coming around to a realization of the great importance of this question, thanks largely to the indefatigable efforts of a few public-spirited citizens of the great West, backed by its most influential newspapers. Every irrigation congress, and the recent congress at Wichita, has resulted in favor of national irrigation and against cession of the lands to the States and Territories. This has been done in spite of the strenuous efforts made by a small number of interested persons to swing the convention into an opposite channel. Should the efforts of these men prevail, which is not probable, Arizona would be one of the greatest sufferers, among the States and Territories, from such a mistaken policy. [Toledo Blade:] The Washington correspondent of a New York paper floats the rumor that the President is considering the project of submitting the question of independence or annexation to the people of Cuba. Whether this rumor is true or not, it is manifest destiny that Cuba will one day become part of the United States. Whether the fullness of time has come may be doubted, but the final outcome may be set down as a certainty. [Kansas City Star:] The reports indicate that the Thirtieth United States Volunteer Regiment, from the States of Illinois, Michigan and Wisconsin, will be filled in two weeks. That is quick work, and may hardly be expected to be maintained as a regular thing. It will probably require at least a month to fill the Thirtieth-second, the home regiment to be made up from Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Oklahoma and the Indian Territory.

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## THE NATION'S NAGGERS.

The antics of the kickers, the fault-finders, the critics of military affairs and the signers of round robin suggestions to the normal mind the performances of a nagging wife. If the man of the house comes home, splashes through a pool of water on the walk in front of the door and makes tracks on the piazza, or on the hardwood floor in the hallway, the nagging wife turns loose upon him and nags and scolds until the poor devil wishes he had never had a pair of shoes to make tracks with, nor a house with a hallway in it capable of being desecrated with tracks; if he comes home and flops down, tired half to death, on a highly ornate sofa pillow which was made for show and not for use, there is another outbreak of nagging; if, some day when the mercury is dialing around the 100 deg. mark, he ventures to go to the dinner table in his shirt-sleeves, the partner of his bosom rises up and rails because he doesn't dress with dignity befitting the occasion, and if perchance he meets a friend on the corner and stands talking to him until he is belated for twenty minutes past the dinner hour, this same sharer of his joys and sorrows, if she be of the nagging sort, proceeds to lay into him with a tongue geared in the middle and loose at each end in such a way as to turn him into a hell on earth and to make life not worth living 30 cents' worth.

This brand of wife—the everlasting nagger—is of the same stripe as the nation's naggers who are making a fault-finding campaign against the administration because of the conduct of the war in the Philippines and against that sterling soldier and steadfast American, Maj.-Gen. Elwell S. Otis. These critics and fault-finders have not the slightest scrap of inside information regarding affairs in the island of Luzon, and they know no more of the local conditions surrounding our military commander in that far land than a mallee cat knows about the manufacture of liquid air. Even the most astute pamphleteer that ever put pen to paper, or the most lofty-browed editor in America cannot be presumed to possess universal knowledge, but when ignorance and prejudice are mixed, as they are in this instance of eternal nagging, the product is something monstrous to contemplate by persons of normal mind and of patriotic instincts.

What has been done at Manila and thereabouts since that memorable day in April, 1898, when Admiral Dewey sailed from the port of Hongkong under instructions to destroy the Spanish fleet in the waters of the Pacific, has been forced upon us by the results of the great admiral's obedience to orders—nothing more and nothing less. The President has been pursuing a straightforward course in dealing with the rebellious Filipinos, and the nagger who attempts to make it appear that the nation's Chief Magistrate has entered upon a policy of imperialism writes himself down an ass. As to the commander of our forces in the islands, let the facts be not overlooked that he

## A SIGN OF THE TIMES.

One of the most reliable signs of the general business situation is to be found in the state of the lumber trade. While building is not in itself a luxury which may be entirely dispensed with, even in times of the greatest financial depression, the amount of building done depends largely not only upon present prosperity, but upon the hopefulness of the general business outlook. The man who is in financial straits and has no assuring evidence of soon being in better circumstances, is not likely to feel disposed to build a new home, or a new place of business; but prosperity and the assurance that still better times are ahead for him will encourage him to invest in such improvements. Then he becomes a patron of the lumber trade and contributes his share to the general expression with regard to the business situation in the country.

In consequence of the indication which the lumber business affords of the general situation and the outlook for the future, a review of the condition of that business in the Northwest, made by the Minneapolis Times, is highly encouraging. The Times says the lumbermen in that city are busier than they have been before for years and are "the happiest men in town" this summer. The shipments from Minneapolis for the first six months of this year were greater than for any corresponding period in the history of saw-milling there. It is estimated that the shipments for the entire year will amount to 450,000,000 or perhaps 500,000,000 feet, the record for the six months just passed being 223,000,000 feet, while the demand is constantly increasing. "Prospects of fine crops give promise," says the Times, "of active building operations in the fall, and in view of the enormous demand it is already announced that prices will be raised \$1 per 1000 in September."

## A CHINESE FINANCIAL QUESTION.

China has a financial question of its own. In this case it is not a question of silver at 16 to 1, or any other ratio, but of copper. The coin which is most commonly used in China is the cash, of which ten go to make the American cent. These coins are strung together through convenient holes in the middle, and are carried about in wheelbarrows, when the loads are too heavy to be carried by men. This would be considered a very clumsy process by Americans, but the Chinese have been doing it for several thousand years and they see no reason why they should not continue to do so for a few thousand years more.

The remarkable rise that has taken place in the price of copper has had the result that the metal in the cash is now worth more than its token value in silver, to the extent of 35 per cent. The Chinese might possibly substitute iron for copper, but that metal is now becoming exceedingly scarce, and apparently the only course for the Chinese to pursue is to fall back upon silver, of which there is still quite a surplus throughout the world, in spite of the advance in almost every other line of products.

## TRANS-PACIFIC CABLE COMMUNICATION.

The subject of the establishment of direct cable communication between the Pacific Coast of the United States and the Orient, under the control of this government, is one which should have prompt and earnest consideration. The importance of such means of communication is so apparent as scarcely to need elucidation or argument. Whatever disposition may ultimately be made of the Philippine Islands; whether they shall become a dependency of the United States or shall form an independent government, matters little so far as the necessity of a means of quick communication across the Pacific is concerned. Whether there is to be territorial expansion beyond Hawaii on the part of the United States or not, there is no doubt or contingency about commercial expansion. The events of the past year and a half prove beyond a doubt that this country has entered on an unprecedented era of foreign trade and that the vessels of the Pacific Ocean are to bear the great share of this additional commerce. This commercial expansion is to extend not merely to Hawaii and the Philippines, but to Japan, China and the lands of the Orient in general. It is therefore of the utmost importance that cable communication should be established at the earliest date possible, in order to meet the imperative demands of the vast business interests that will be involved in this trans-Pacific trade.

The British have been actively considering the project of establishing a cable line from their possessions north of us to Australia, and thus reaching the Orient, and the announcement has recently been made that a survey for such a cable is likely to be begun soon. This country ought not to let the British gain precedence over it and establish the first line. If there is to be but one line, the United States should control that line, and the establishment of one line is likely at least to defer for some time the establishment of a second one. The United States must be the dominant power on the Pacific Ocean for all time, and it cannot afford to lose even the prestige which the establishment and ownership of the first ocean cable will carry with it.

It is worthy of note that the report of the Philippine Peace Commission, published on Tuesday last, not only corroborates the previous reports made by Maj.-Gen. Otis as to the general situation, but presents conditions even more favorable than represented by the general. The round robin is answered. Scientists assert that man is composed of 90 per cent. water. This entirely depends, of course, upon where the observations are taken. Kentucky must be an exception to the rule, and we are confident that "there are others."

## BACK TO THE LAND.

Various causes have recently combined to throw a large number of people out of employment. One of the principal of these causes is the rapid development of labor-saving machinery. Then, again, the trusts have caused many thousands of people to lose their jobs. As a consequence, the big cities of the country are overcrowded with people in search of work, and the problem of what to do with them is becoming a serious one. Not only is the condition of these people unfortunate and deplorable, but it is obviously dangerous to the community to have so many unemployed crowded together in the great centers of population.

It becomes constantly more obvious that the best remedy for this condition of affairs is to divert the surplus population from the cities to the land. Agriculture may suffer from a temporary glut now and then, in one branch or another, but the industry, as a whole, is never overdone. If it comes to the worst, and the farmer is unable to sell his crops at a satisfactory price, he can at least be always sure of a living, and need not fear that he may be thrown out into the street for inability to pay his rent. It will be remarked—and with truth—that a majority of these people who crowd our cities in search of work have no experience in farming. To meet this difficulty, it would be necessary to settle them on the land under the colony plan, where they can have the benefit of experienced guidance and example. It is true that the colony system has been brought into discredit of late, through many dismal failures, but in such cases it will almost invariably be found that there was some wild-eyed and impracticable theory connected with the enterprise. That there is nothing essentially impracticable about the colony system has been shown by numerous successful ventures of that kind in California. It may be added that there is no section of the United States better adapted to become the scene of a successful enterprise of this kind than Southern California, where a man may easily support himself and family on the products of ten acres of irrigated land.

The man who inaugurates a well considered and practical system of colonization for the surplus population of our big cities will not only benefit thousands who join the enterprise, but the country at large, for it is an undoubted fact that this congested population in the great cities of the country is a standing menace to the welfare of the country.

Here are some gratifying figures that the Bryanites will be especially interested in reading: The excess of exports over imports in the fiscal year 1897 was \$286,263,144; in 1898 the amount increased to \$615,432,676; in 1899, year ending June 30, the favorable balance was \$630,356,037, a total for the three years of \$1,432,051,853. If we add to this amount the excess of exports of silver bullion, which the Treasury Department refuses to regard as a commodity, the total will be swelled to at least \$1,500,000,000. These are staggering digits but we trust our friends the enemy may be enabled to recover from the blow that almost killed Willie.

Says the San Francisco Chronicle: "The claim of New York to Miss Ellen Beach Yaw, the high soprano, will probably be resented by Los Angeles. It is a question of whether mere birth or training through a series of years entitles a place to claim a singer." Because Miss Yaw has been compelled to pass through New York en route to Europe, where she has appeared in triumph, would hardly seem to warrant New York's claims. But at the same time it should not be forgotten that it is the fame of this charming Los Angeles girl is big enough to cover both New York and the Angel City. All we ask of the metropolis is that it give us our share of the glory.

Note this cheerful observation on the part of the Denver Post which has wisely been turning its eagle eye in the direction of the Angel City. The Post says: "Jim Jeffries and 8000 pretty schoolmarmes reached Los Angeles on the same day. The burly fistic hero was the target for a myriad of admiring eyes, 16,000 of which were set as sparkling gems in the heads of the schoolmarmes." We would, however, correct our esteemed contemporary's figures. One of the dear girls was shy one of her right eyes, therefore but 15,999 optics were glued upon James, the slugger, that day that he came to town and shook his ponderous fist.

The ghost dancers in the Indian Territory, no matter how wildly they may dance, can never hope to emulate the fleetness of foot which Aguinaldo, ghost-dancer-in-chief in the Philippine Islands, has attained. The dictator who has tripped the light fantastic toe in the way he keeps out of range with his trusty typewriter and his movable capital. If the Indians in the Territory are hoping to get into Aguinaldo's class, they hope in vain, for he is the very swiftest thing that ever made a break for the brush.

The Washington Times, an anti-administration organ, frankly confesses that if Gen. Joseph Wheeler's assignment to the Philippines carries with it active field duty there can no longer be any doubt that the President is resolved to push the insurrection to a speedy close. Gen. Wheeler is not the man to go to the Philippines to rest, and the Times may feel assured that when he arrives there he will have an opportunity to exercise the talent for fighting which he possesses in such an extraordinary degree.

The Democrats who are advising the nomination of Mr. Bryan and the adoption of a Democratic platform that shall ignore the silver question in order to "unite the party," are paying a poor compliment to the intelligence of the party. To assume that Bryan could represent any financial sentiment except silver lunacy would be to assume that the leopard can change, not only his spots, but his whole hide. If the platform should be silent on silver, Bryan would not be.

The newspaper correspondent is a very useful member of society, but as a military expert he is not so great. All things considered, as the man trained to military affairs and burdened with military authority. No doubt the newspaper men in Luzon can write mighty interesting stuff—at least some of them can—but we submit that the general in command does not appear to be in need of them as an advisory board on the conduct of the war.

Admiral Dewey has, it seems, decided to sample one of the banquets that are awaiting him, by accepting the invitation of Minister Harris. If the sample offered at Trieste should set well on his stomach, he may decide to try more of the same kind later on.

We would suggest that the candidates for Superior Judge and postmaster engage in a game of baseball. Of course the extra list will be large, but if there isn't room on the grounds hire a vacant lot some place for them to stand on.

There is but one red-headed man among the 1000 inmates of the Kansas penitentiary. It would seem from this that it must be almost impossible to catch those Kansans red-headed and red-headed in the act of committing crime.

The Washington Star remarks that "As Mr. Alger's campaign manager, Mr. Pingree, may be said to have ignominiously foisted." It would certainly seem so, although we haven't the slightest idea what "foisted" means.

The kissing bug assaults none of the human family of commerce except those who snore. The bazo-player who infests the sleeping-cars of this great country should paste the above wad of information on the outside of his grip-sack.

We often wonder how Alexander and Napoleon and Wellington and Caesar and the rest of the old-time fighters were ever able to manage campaigns without the assistance of a bunch of newspaper correspondents.

A whole "raft" of Kansas editors are going to do Canada next month. When they cross the line it will be entirely unnecessary to ask "What's the matter with Canada?" for its ailment will be plain to be seen.

It is to be hoped that Tod Sloan's release from the onerous duties of his profession will not lead him to associate any more freely with the Prince of Wales. Americans are jealous of Tod's reputation.

The volcano of Mokuawewewo is again in a state of eruption. In heaven's name let us hope that it will not belch up its name and scatter the aforesaid over the adjacent landscape and waterescape.

The avidity with which the Mexican national loan is being taken is pretty good evidence that it was a wise scheme for Mexico to drop silver foolishness in her relations with the outside world.

The Democratic National Committee is warming up to its work in regular Kentucky style, and the devil is to pay for Mr. Devlin. Go it steamed enemy, all the world loves to see a scrap.

Admiral Dewey continues to evince his usual wisdom by endeavoring to secure perfect health before he ventures to encounter the welcome he will receive when he shall arrive home.

The philosopher of the Atchison Globe says: "A man is in love with two or three women all the time," but then it is a shame for the Atchison man to give us away like that.

Young Tom Edison, the son of his father, has run away and married an actress, but this is no new invention, nor is the fact that Tom's papa doesn't approve of the match.

There is some reason to believe that Gen. Joe Wheeler will not confine his fighting to the army if an attempt is made to deprive him of his seat in Congress.

The acceptance of Gen. Alger's resignation by the President will probably be approved even by the "aunties," and goodness knows they are hard to suit.

The Shah of Persia, who has but 800 wives, has gone crazy. To the man who has a matter of merely one wife, this does not seem so alfreded curious.

Geologists say the natural gas supply of Indiana will be exhausted within five years, but they do not venture any opinion as to that of William J. Bryan.

If anybody can wrestle successfully with the yellow-fever problem in Cuba, Gen. Wood may be depended upon to do so.

Chicago may not have a population of 2,000,000, but if so it is not the fault of the newspapers of that city.

Gen. Humidity will have a big hold on the situation in the Philippines for some months to come.

The Secretary of War has at last reached the proud distinction of filling a long-felt want.

Fall Off the Engine.

MARTINEZ, July 20.—Last evening J. W. Dennis was run over by switch engine at Port Costa and killed. He was riding on the engine and fell off. He was a member of the Brotherhood of Conductors.

## The Playhouses.

LOS ANGELES THEATER. The performance of Ambrose Thomas's tuncful opera "Mignon" at this theater last night bore, in some respects, a resemblance to a reunion of old friends, for the singers of the Lombardi Company were not only greeted by a splendid audience, but they were given such a welcome as the stranger never secures at the hands of those he comes among.

The work of the singers in San Francisco and elsewhere where the company has appeared since it first visited Los Angeles seems to have improved the voices, for certainly none of them ever sang to us with more brilliancy and general effectiveness than they did last night. The great Sostegni's voice is seemingly more velvety, liquid and appealing than it was during the weeks that she first sang to us. Her every tone is purity itself, and the ease and grace with which the voice is handled is a revelation in the art of singing, considering the youth of the artist. In addition to a vocal organ of surpassing quality, Sostegni has a most winsome personality, and an air of innocent sincerity, which is more than charming. In the role of Mignon, all the varied charms of this lovely singer are abundantly displayed, and hence her overwhelming success last evening.

The ever-brilliant Repetto was also in fine voice last evening, and achieved a decided triumph in the role of the proud and haughty Filina. This singer's art is that of the actor, in which the human voice can accomplish difficult things, and she did so with an accompaniment of manner that was as fascinating to the eye as her voice was to the ear.

Russo, the dapper and dashing tenor, sang with his usual splendid spirit and virility, and his voice is still as true and clear as a bell. There are other parts in which Russo shines with greater luster than in that of Wilhelm Meister, but there are precious few tenors who have sung with more in this city who have a right to be classed with this young Italian. Sig. Travaglini as Lotario, made a splendid impression with his sonorous and musical basso; Signorina Umberto was excellent as Frederick and as Laertes; Buganelli was, as usual, thoroughly pleasing, though the role is much beyond the capacity of this masterful baritone.

A few words of explanation should be given in regard to the orchestra and its work last night. Owing to a delay in the arrival of the orchestra, which was shipped from San Francisco too late, the orchestra was forced, under the able leadership, to play the entire score of "Mignon" without any preparatory rehearsal, which he always gives for each opera produced. Any defect in this regard, should be overlooked. The bill for tonight is Verdi's masterpiece, "Il Trovatore." Often as this opera has been heard, it appeals anew to glorious youth, when the beautiful melodies are interpreted by such artists as comprise this company. Signorina Barducci, as the special favor to Manager Lombardi, will sing the role of Azucena, in which she made a phenomenal hit in San Francisco. Another favorite is Sig. Juan Badaracco, who sings the role of Manrico. In this character he is considered at his best. Sig. José Ferrer will be heard as Count de Luna, introducing in his magnificent baritone voice, rich and mellow; Sig. Vizzardi as Fernando and Sig. Rattaghi as Ruiz, making a sextette of singers who composed a most delightful and satisfying combination. "Faust" will be heard at the matinee, and the "Barber of Seville" Saturday evening.

## AT SANTA MONICA.

She's a dashing young brunette,  
 My heart she's quite upset;  
 Her name's Veronica.  
 We met the usual way,  
 In the surf one Saturday,  
 At Santa Monica.

'Twas in the blue Pacific,  
 In a wave of size terrific,  
 That we met;  
 She was seized with sudden fright,  
 Screamed aloud with all her might,  
 I can hear her yet.

To ally her wild alarm,  
 Round her waist I placed my arm,  
 Her fears to quell,  
 Round my neck her arms she flung,  
 And to me like a plaster clung,  
 While she did yell.

Then I helped her to the land,  
 And we sat upon the sand,  
 In the sun,  
 She was gay, and young, and pretty,  
 And, moreover, she was witty,  
 And 'twas fun.

Sunday morn we wandered round,  
 On the beach and through the town  
 Of Santa Monica,  
 Cuddling up as we glided,  
 Till I fairly was entranced  
 With Veronica.

She's my latest, she's my best,  
 Prettier than all the rest,  
 Is Veronica.  
 'Twas a lucky day for me,  
 When I met her in the sea,  
 At Santa Monica.

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## A Montana View of Us.

[Anaconda Standard.] These are Los Angeles' gala days. In addition to the National Educational Association, she is entertaining her celebrated native son, James J. Jeffries. The champion heavyweight of the world arrived home two or three days ago, and thousands assisted in the welcome. There were bands and fireworks and fetes and flowers. A huge wreath of flowers was thrown around the champion's neck, he was escorted in a carriage by a surging multitude to a hotel, where he was wine and dined and serenaded and patted on the back as by far the biggest man Los Angeles had ever produced. Taking into account his 288 pounds of avoirdupois, Mr. Jeffries may be said to have been born great; but more than that he has achieved greatness, and left there should be any shadow of doubt about it, Los Angeles is thrusting gobs of greatness upon him. The young brawler ranks today as one of the world's most famous men, and Los Angeles is as proud of him as a summer girl with a new and dashing beau.

## The Case of Dr. Gwinn.

A paragraph printed in The Times Santa Barbara correspondence yesterday with reference to Dr. W. R. Gwinn, who was arrested at Santa Barbara for bigamy committed in Massachusetts, would lead the reader to infer that the doctor deserted a wife at Fall River and eloped to California with a young lady. The facts in the case were set out in a New York dispatch to The Times, which appeared in last Monday's issue. Dr. Gwinn was regularly divorced, but under the Massachusetts law he could not remarry in that State until two years had elapsed. Therefore, he went to the State of Maine, where he was married to his present wife, coming thence to California. The present charge of bigamy is based upon this action on the part of the accused.

## [HAWAII.]

## PELE'S WELA KA HAO.

## VOLCANO OF MOKUAWEWEO IS BELCHING UP FIRE.

Magnificent Spectacle Ten Thousand Feet Above Sea Level—Ghosts of the Volcano House Called from Their Beds by the First Explosion—Great Streams of Lava.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HILO (Hawaii), July 8. (Wire from San Francisco, July 20.)—After a term of rest and nearly complete idleness extending over a period of several years, the volcano of Mokuaweweo has again broken out, and gives promise of one of the greatest demonstrations ever furnished by the volcanoes of the island.

The eruption was first noticed at the Volcano House, where, early on the morning of July 4, the guests of the hotel were awakened by an explosion. On making their way to the verandas they witnessed one of the grandest and most elaborate displays of Pele's displeasure ever yet given. The outbreak occurred on the side of Mauna Loa at an elevation of about 10,000 feet, and in about the same place as where issued the flow of 1880-81.

Two immense fountains of lava were forced in the air to an elevation of many hundred feet, and from these and the constant overflow from the mountain were rapidly formed the three lava flows which are now steadily making their way down the mountainside toward the sea. These streams of lava have each taken different directions, and the rapidity of their movements is dependent on the obstructions and depressions of the country through which they pass. The smaller flow is in the direction of Kilauea, and is now about twenty miles from the hotel. What is apparently the second flow in size is on the Hilo side, and as nearly as can be estimated, will take about the same course as the first. The third flow, which has taken its way toward the Kaula side, is, to all appearances, the largest flow of lava yet witnessed on the island, and seems to be making the progress in its path of destruction.

The eruption shows no signs of abatement, and the sight by night and in the early morning hours is of unusual grandeur and brilliancy. At the Volcano House, which is probably twenty-five miles from the outbreak, lights are not required during the night, and the country for many miles around the mountain is brightly illuminated.

From Hilo the sight has been witnessed nightly by interested crowds, and the Waikuli bridge has been especially a desirable position for observation. From this bridge the illumination is to be seen directly up a river, and the bright red from the huge fountains and the overflow as it is seen through the clouds and smoke make a picture of a scene that is always so grand that it is not easily to be forgotten.

George Fatty, who has resided on this island for the past thirty years, and who has witnessed all the outbreaks during that time, says this seems to be the most extensive of all. Starting as it did so far from the summit, the prospect of a large and favorable people from adjoining islands are arriving at the scene in large numbers, and steamship lines are doing a thriving business in consequence of the eruption.

## HONOLULU NOTES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] HONOLULU, July 13.—[Wire from San Francisco, July 20.] The United States hospital ship Solace arrived from San Francisco on the 8th. The transport U.S.S. Albatross arrived this morning. Both vessels will coal at this port and then resume their voyage to Manila. The cruiser Boeton will be due here on the 15th, on her way to San Francisco.

Capt. Charles B. Satterlee of the Sixth Artillery, commanding Battery K, at this port, died on the 10th of brain trouble. He leaves a widow and child at Fort Monroe, Va. The charter of the First National Bank has been approved and signed by President Dole and the Minister of the Interior.

## PATENTS AND PENSIONS.

## Several Los Angeles Men on the Roll of Honor.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] WASHINGTON, July 20.—Patents were granted to Californians today as follows: William W. Andrews, Los Angeles, rotary engine; William Borrows and J. Lumley, San Francisco, manufacture of heat insulating coverings; William Cahill, San Francisco, horse shoe; Charles A. Davis, Pasadena, solar water heater; Carrie Easton, San Francisco, hat hanger; Richard B. Fentem, Newman, land gauge for plow; William H. Gray, San Leandro, hay press; George E. Heady, assignor of one-half to A. Solano, Los Angeles, lock-mortising machine; John Hoey, San Francisco, box couch; W. H. Horn, San Francisco, and C. L. Wain, Kamloops, Can., shank for cornets; Samuel W. Luitwieler and M. L. Wilkinson, Los Angeles, mechanism for producing reciprocating motion; Charles F. McGlashan, Truckee, catapult for throwing projectiles; Byron I. Yurman and F. J. Hampton, Los Angeles, ore crusher; James Wallace, Sacramento, continuous spinning pot; Peter F. Wise, Los Angeles, wood-splitting machine; Lewis T. Wright, Keswick, roasting furnace.

Pensions granted Californians today as follows: Original, Franklin Polts, San Francisco, \$8; John M. Fawcett, Los Angeles, \$12.50; Ben J. Bando, San Francisco, \$8; Antonio Clark, Claremont, \$8; Stephen Maroney, Sacramento, \$2; Abijah T. Hudson, Stockton, \$12; Stephen Bowers, Los Angeles, \$8. Mexican war widows, Sarah A. Fanning, Bellota, \$8; Regina Drescher, Nicolaus.

## At New York Hotels.

NEW YORK, July 20.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] L. E. Hicks is at the Astor; R. T. Vandervort and wife and Mrs. F. Gleason of Pasadena are at the Manhattan; A. R. Metcalfe and wife at the Alsey.

## NEW RAILWAY PRESIDENT.

Accession of M. H. Mohler Is Discredited by a Friend.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.] NEW YORK, July 20.—A report is current that M. H. Mohler, now president of the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company, has accepted the presidency of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway for bigamy committed in Massachusetts, would lead the reader to infer that the doctor deserted a wife at Fall River and eloped to California with a young lady. The facts in the case were set out in a New York dispatch to The Times, which appeared in last Monday's issue. Dr. Gwinn was regularly divorced, but under the Massachusetts law he could not remarry in that State until two years had elapsed. Therefore, he went to the State of Maine, where he was married to his present wife, coming thence to California. The present charge of bigamy is based upon this action on the part of the accused.

"I have several telegrams today from Mr. Mohler at Portland, Or., but in none of them has he said anything about an intention to retire from the presidency of our company. In addition to our business relations, Mr. Mohler is a close personal friend of mine, and I think he would not take such a step without letting me know about it. I do not believe the report is true."



# The Times

## THE WEATHER YESTERDAY.

U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, July 20.—(Reported by Geo. R. D. Properties Local Forecast Office.) At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.86; at 5 p.m., 29.86. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 64 deg. and 76 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 50 per cent; 5 p.m., 49 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northwest, velocity 1 mile; 5 p.m., west, velocity 8 miles. Maximum temperature, 89 deg.; minimum temperature, 64 deg. Barometer reduced to sea level, 29.86.

**DRY DULB TEMPERATURE.**  
Los Angeles ..... 64  
San Francisco ..... 52  
San Diego ..... 66  
Portland ..... 58  
Weather Conditions.—Clear, warm weather continues in Southern California and in the interior valleys. It is cloudy over the California coast from Point Conception northward and on the North Pacific Slope, with moderate temperature. Showers have fallen in Arizona and in Western Texas. An inch of rain has fallen at Dodge City since last report.

**Forecast.**—Local forecast for Los Angeles and vicinity: Continued fair, warm weather tonight and Friday; westerly winds. **SAN FRANCISCO.** July 20.—Weather: Partly cloudy and general forecast: The following maximum temperatures were reported from stations in California today:

Eureka ..... 60  
San Diego ..... 78  
Fresno ..... 70  
Los Angeles ..... 89  
Red Bluff ..... 94  
Yuma ..... 100  
San Luis Obispo ..... 80

**San Francisco data.** Maximum temperature, 68 deg.; minimum, 52 deg.; mean, 55 deg.

The pressure continues to fall over Nevada, Utah and Southern Idaho. A moderate storm is central over the valley of the Colorado and Southern Nevada. Light rain reported in Northern Arizona and Southern Utah. There has been a decided fall in temperature in the San Joaquin and Sacramento valleys and the temperature at Sacramento is not normal than for four days past. In the vicinity of San Francisco there is a vertical thermal gradient of 1 deg. rise for every 150 feet elevation. A thunderstorm is reported at Cedar City, Utah. The following maximum wind velocities are reported: Winnemucca, 22 miles per hour, from the southwest; Pocatello, 44 miles, from the southwest.

**Forecast.** made at San Francisco for thirty hours ending at midnight, July 21:  
Northern California: Fair Friday; cooler in the forenoon in the valleys; southerly winds inland; fresh westerly winds on the coast.

Southern California: Fair Friday; sandstorms in the desert; northerly winds inland; westerly winds on the coast.  
Arizona: Showers in northern portion; fair in southern portion.

San Francisco and vicinity: Fair Friday; brisk westerly winds, with fog in the afternoon.

**The Times' Weather Record.**—Observations made at 1 p.m. and midnight, daily:  
July 20—  
Barometer ..... 29.86  
Thermometer ..... 29.86  
Humidity ..... 50  
Weather ..... Clear  
Maximum temperature, 24  
Minimum temperature, 24  
Tide Table.—For San Pedro:  
High. Low.  
Tuesday, July 18..... 6:04 a.m. 0:04 a.m.  
Wednesday, " 19..... 5:39 p.m. 10:51 p.m.  
Thursday, " 20..... 5:14 a.m. 10:26 a.m.  
Friday, " 21..... 4:48 a.m. 9:51 a.m.  
Saturday, " 22..... 4:23 a.m. 9:26 a.m.  
Sunday, " 23..... 3:57 p.m. 8:51 p.m.

**ALL ALONG THE LINE.**  
The cry comes from Ventura for men to work, not only in the canneries and about the orchards, but for all other lines of work incident to the products of the county. Building is increasing and the freight movement is something marvelous, even for Ventura. The Oxnard-Ojai end of the new gap is running tight to its full capacity, and offering work to willing hands. These things should be borne in mind by the busy man of affairs, who is importuned to help men "who cannot find work."

The Coast exchanges team with notes descriptive of wells dug and other wells digging, with the story of an occasional failure, it is true, but with general results most gratifying. The Santa Ana Trustees lead off in the intention to bore to the lowest gravel stratum in order that possible inexhaustible flow may be reached. Dollars and grit are necessary, but when one considers the certain results of another possible dry year, he is lacking in wisdom who withholds either. Subterranean water is the only present available solution of the dry year problem.

The Times' Avalon correspondent writes of the catches for the tank over there the following: "Another drum fish has been added. A fish that 'talks' so loudly that it can be heard outside the building." It is possible some one misinformed the correspondent. What he heard must have been the drowning effort of the chief prevaricator of the Tuna Club, summarily ducked for some reason, specifically artistic distortion of the truth, as he frantically labored to prove his catch discounted the recent Irish sea serpent, which latter is credited with spouting coal oil and giving out a smell like "Hark, from the tombs."

Anahem is in clover—or soon will be—over an artesian well flowing five feet over the top of the casing. This is another proof that the dry year is a blessing in disguise, as it has forced men to seek water to save their investments. The truly progressive man, who sees the only relief possible is in digging, puts in his dollars and pluck and thus draws dividends, and, incidentally, happiness, while the halting through, looking for rain, have wasted precious years and are now compelled to do what should have been welcome labor five years ago. With such abundant proof that subterranean water exists, the only marvel is that efforts to obtain it have not been more general.

It is suggested by the Native Sons that all enlisted men from this State be decorated with medals. It is altogether wise and proper that all men who enlisted under the call for troops from California should have a medal, regardless of the service rendered by them, for they were ready for service or sacrifice as fortune demanded. In the case of the Seventh Regiment it is safe to say that the sacrifice of noble ambitions forced upon them by untoward conditions, won for them a meed of praise in the hearts of thinking men deeper than the more volatile article indiscriminately pitched upon all others. The individual and collective courage which enabled them to merge their martial formation and ambitions into the body politic without a sign of resistance required a courage great as that, the memory of which hallows bloody San Juan Hill. Yes, decorate all the boys with medals.

## MINES AND MINING.

MINING OPERATIONS IN NORTHERN COUNTIES TO BE EXTENDED.

**Sale of Two-thirds Interest in the Tuber Mine to a New York Capitalist—The G. B. Changes Hands. Mining Notes.**

The indications are that mining operations in the northern portion of the State will be carried on in future on a much larger scale than they have been in the past. Some evidence of this is seen in the attempt to revive mining operations on the big ledge through a proposition to utilize the power of the Truckee River in its descent from Lake Tahoe to Reno for the manufacture of electric power, to be transmitted to Virginia, Nev., and other points. Referring to this the San Francisco Chronicle says:

"There is a fall of some 2000 feet, which could, if desired, be utilized, and it is claimed that the enormous electrical energy which is convertible out of this vast water power can be transmitted at a trifling cost where it is needed on the ledge, thus furnishing the mines with the cheapest power possible. Perhaps between these various efforts the Comstock may again become the scene of mining activity and resume its old-time place as a producer of metallic wealth."

**THE TUBER MINE, BALLARAT.**  
In its special correspondence from Pleasant Cañon, Inyo county, Cal., the Los Angeles Mining Review announces the sale of the two-thirds interest of Robert Montgomery and J. W. Smalley in the Tuber mine, in Tuber Cañon, to A. W. Flint of New York. Thomas B. Pheby of Oakland, Cal., is the owner of the remaining one-third interest. The Mining Review states that eighty tons of mining and milling machinery had arrived at Johannesburg and was waiting teams to haul it to the mill site. The ledge on this property is said to be one of the largest in the Ballarat district, and the ore fairly high grade.

**G. B. MINE CHANGES HANDS.**  
Advices from Randsburg report the sale of the G. B. mine, situated in the Rand district, to S. Johnson of Cripple Creek, Colo. A first payment has been made, and the balance is to be made in six months, and the balance of the expiration of one year. The sale was made through J. A. Clements of Colorado, and who is now in charge of the property in the interest of Mr. Johnson.

**MINNE-ELLEN CLOSED DOWN.**  
The Enterprise Enterprise reports the temporary closing down of the Minne-Allen mine in Tulare county, pending arrangements for an extension of time on the bond. The time is up on the 23d of this month, at which date the whole of the purchase money is due, or in default of payment the mines revert to the owners. F. Cook, one of the owners, offered an extension of time if MacDonald, who gave the bond, would augment the price. This, it is understood, MacDonald has refused to do.

**SALE OF THE SCHROEDER.**  
The Schroeder quartz mine, in Siskiyou county, has, says the San Francisco Post, just been sold to the Caledonia Mining Company. The price is reported to be \$1,000,000. This is one of the largest sales of quartz properties ever made in Siskiyou county. The Schroeder mine has an excellent reputation as a paying property, and the purchasers will reap handsome profits from their investment. The property is situated in the Deadwood mining district, about seven miles from Yreka, and is finely developed. Mr. Schroeder having tapped the ledge at a depth of about 1200 feet. Just over the divide from the Schroeder mine is the Humboldt mining district, where some excellent prospects have been discovered.

**THE STANDARD IN ALASKA.**  
The statement is made that the Standard Oil Company having now acquired the Russian title and a mineral land grant from the United States government to the coal lands at Cook Inlet, Alaska, is preparing to develop them. Alfred Ray, manager for the company at Portland, has outfitted a corps of engineers, which has sailed for the north. They will complete surveys partially made and make other surveys for wharves, railroads from the mines to the shore, etc. The Cook Inlet coal mines were worked by the Russians years ago, and later by a San Francisco, Cal., company.

**LEAD DISCOVERY IN ARIZONA.**  
The discovery of what may prove to be valuable lead mines is reported to have been made in the Castle Dome Mountains, twenty-two miles north of Gila City, on property belonging to M. Modest and Frank Avila. A specimen of this lead ore, weighing 335 pounds, was sent to Yuma. The Yuma Sun, in an account of the discovery, says:

"The property has been worked in a small way for the past four years and is now developing into one of the greatest lead mines in the Territory. Two shafts have been sunk, one 110 feet and the other fifty feet, with a tunnel connecting the two from the bottom of the 50-foot shaft. The ledge is two feet wide and is gradually increasing with depth. The ore is solid, and runs over 50 per cent lead with a small amount of silver. Returns from the two carloads of ore recently shipped to the smelter at Pueblo show a profit of \$2823.90, after the charges for treatment and freight rates were paid. Owing to the strike among the smelter employees in Colorado the ore will be shipped to El Paso hereafter, or until the Pueblo smelters resume operations. Two carloads are now being sacked and will be shipped in a day or two. As soon as the 200-foot level is reached a shaft hole will be put in and the mine worked on a much more extensive scale."

**JOPLIN'S LEAD AND ZINC.**  
The official figures for the Joplin district show an output of lead and zinc valued in 1898 at \$7,000,000. For the first twelve weeks of 1899 the output amounted to \$2,474,592, and for the first eighteen weeks to May 6 it amounted to \$3,880,264. This proportion, if maintained, would bring the value of the 1899 output to \$12,000,000.

**THE MODOC, IN NEW MEXICO.**  
The Silver City, (N. M.) Enterprise says that the payment on the purchase of the Modoc group of mines in Harover county, N. M., has been made. The company, under the general management of A. W. Tennant, with W. W. Gifford in charge, as superintendent, will immediately increase the force of workmen on the mines. Ore is being extracted and shipments to the Silver City Reduction Works will be commenced next week. Samples of the ore as assorted for shipment gave returns of 31 gold and 32 silver per ton, with 14 per cent copper and a large excess of iron. The company expects to ship forty or fifty tons per week, which amount will be largely increased as ground is opened up to employ a larger force of miners.

**MINING NOTES.**  
The Wedge mine, Randsburg, is having another 50-ton run of ore at the Red Dog mill, Johannesburg. At the regular monthly meeting of the directors of the South Bisbee Copper Company, held in Los Angeles last

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At a meeting of mining men, held in the rooms of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce last Thursday, the "Miners' Association of Southern California" was formed. The officers for the ensuing year are: C. B. Booth, president; C. A. Burcham, first vice-president; C. S. McKelvey, second vice-president; H. O. Collins, treasurer; Maj. George N. Nolan, secretary. The Arizona Republican reports the purchase of the Monarch mine, in People's Valley, Ariz., by A. W. Fisher of Los Angeles for \$20,000.

The Portland (Or.) Telegram reports that the Nimsick mine, in the Bohemia district, Oregon, has been sold to New York capitalists for \$85,000. It is stated that some of the mining companies of the British Columbia region have apparently solved the labor problem to the satisfaction of all interested by operating their mines under a contract system. Each side feels they have made no concession, the miners are at work and trouble has been averted.

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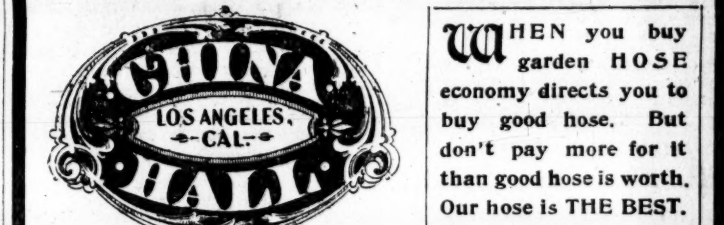
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The Indian in the Army Declared to Be All Right if Taken in as an Individual and not as a Tribe.

Parochial, Reservation, Public and Boarding Schools Receive Consideration—Meeting of the Different Sections.

Intense interest on the part of the audience and the good nature of the speakers were notable features of the morning general session of the Indian Service Institute at Normal Hall yesterday. Prof. Howard of Puyallup, Wash., presided, and prayer by Rev. Locke opened the meeting. Mrs. Albert Russell sang and received an encore. Indian Commissioner Tonner of Washington, D. C., spoke of his interest in the meetings of the institute, and Prof. Kunon of Los Angeles delivered a somewhat technical but interesting address on Sloyd.

### MAJ. PRATT SPEAKS.

Apologizing for his apparent monopoly of the floor the major began by inviting criticism of any remarks made by him. "Hit me," said he; "tomahawk me if you will. I can stand it." Referring to his opposition to prevailing methods in the instruction of the Indian, he said that no system, educational or other, would suffer from honest opposition, but rather would benefit from it. Those who are now struggling with these problems are using means that prevent quick success. Progress will come when all the work done by Carlisle and other Indian schools is wiped out and when every Indian boy and girl is given a chance to stand with every other American boy and girl.

"The business of the United States of America," he continued, "is to make decent homes for everybody, without distinction of race, color or previous condition." He referred briefly to the parochial school, claiming its purpose was to build up the Catholic Church. The freedom of the Indian from his environment was longed for by every pupil at Carlisle, and other schools, they want a chance to get into the world and mingle with, and be of, the people. "The War Department has declared the Indian a failure as a soldier," said the major. "The Indian never was in the army as an individual. Companies have been tribalized, the Sioux, Apaches and Crows have been kept by themselves and have had no chance. The Indian should be taken into the army just as any other man is taken in, without regard to his nationality. The Indian is not a failure anywhere as a man." The speaker mentioned the cases of five Indian boys whom he had placed in the Philippines, two in Porto Rico and one in Cuba.

### OTHER SPEAKERS' VIEWS.

Dr. Lippincott of Philadelphia thinks that the question, "What shall we do with the Indian graduate?" can be applied with equal force to the graduate of any other college or university. If the graduate of the Indian school is to be given absolute freedom to go where and do what he pleases, the question is solved. "The best interest of the country," he said, "is to have the Indian graduate as a citizen of the people. There is no other country in the world where the people are so homogeneous as in the United States. The Indian graduate, as reported by the press and the church, are great factors in the attainment of this end; the denominational and parochial schools are no aid. There should be no Indian tribes nor tribal schools. It is the man who is sought, not the tribe. The Indian must go and be lost in the great stream of American life. The sole question is, 'How shall we so manage the education of the young Indian as to assimilate him into our life?' The Indian is a feeble people; their language is worth nothing, and it should not be perpetuated. The Indian question will be solved when the Indian school is away with, and the Indian children mingle with the whites."

Prof. Brown of Lawrence, Kan., continued the discussion, saying, briefly, that the Indian children drawing the greatest annuities from the government are the worst pupils. He mentioned the Osages as an example in proof of his assertion.

"The Indian," he said, "is spoiled by our indulgence. We do too much for him. He has no sense to stand or fall upon leaving school."

Superintendent Ratliff of the Omaha Boarding School, Nebraska, added concisely that the Indian child lands by the government makes it hard to send the Indian away; he rents out his land and lives on the income. He becomes more lazy, and really is naught but a pauper aided by the government.

Superintendent Wright of Wisconsin terminated the last of the morning session, saying that the abolition of the reservation does not dispose of the vexed question. He cites the Winnebagoes in Wisconsin and the Sioux Indians in Minnesota as examples of Indians, living among the whites and shifting for themselves. The speaker remarked that these Indians are tramps and kysies, making their living by selling baskets and catching fish. This statement was excepted to by Maj. Pratt, who said that any one making a living in that manner was not a tramp. In conclusion Mr. Wright said that the easiest and best system is to place Indian children in white families, where they can learn American life while going to school.

The superintendents' section then

took an adjournment to meet again at 2 p.m. in general session.

### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The afternoon general session opened at 2 p.m. with prayer and music, and then split up, the teachers' section and the physicians' section withdrawing to other rooms, and leaving the superintendents' section in possession of Normal Hall.

Chairman Allen called this section to order and announced a general discussion, which was led by Superintendent Smith of Michigan, who told of the civil life of Indians in his State, saying they made good average citizens. The Indian children made fair progress in the public schools, and he thought that the Indian compared favorably with his white brother under similar conditions.

### ASKS A QUESTION.

Prof. McArthur of Arizona propounded the following question: "Excluding all mixed blood, all Indians in government employ on reservations, and all in colleges and academies, how many of them are there today who have been engaged for five years or more in making their own living as a result of the education given them by the government schools?" This was a poser for all except President Gates of Amherst College, who said he considered it an unfair question because of the comparatively recent establishment of the schools.

Superintendent Pigg of Oklahoma then took the floor and told of the progress of the Wichitas after education, and the lack of progressive ideas among the non-educated. After touching upon a number of different subjects, the speaker was interrupted by cries of "Question." He immediately sat down, but as no one seemed to know what the question was, the floor was taken by Superintendent Ratliff of the Omaha Boarding School, who told what some of the Omahas are doing.

"Whether the Indian should be sent out into the world on his merits," said the speaker, "is an open question. If he is able to stand on his merits, all right; if not, he should be trained accordingly. A change of methods in Indian education is hardly advisable at present. The Indian must not be hurried into citizenship."

### PRESIDENT GATES.

President Gates of Amherst College, Mass., followed, saying, in part: "The eastern man knows the Indian better than does the westerner, who is not engaged in Indian work. One must be far enough away to get the proper perspective. From our point of observation we see distinct progress in Indian education. As the family is conceded to be the unit of society, and as a sound and true home life is the basis of national character, the tribe and the tribal relation must go if civilization is to come. The reservation system is wrong; the proper method is to give the Indian property outright, let the consequences be what they may. Reservation boarding and day schools and the eastern boarding schools are steps in the right direction—the eastern school probably being the more helpful, as the Indian is thrown more among his white brothers. If we attempt to discard the power of Christianity, we shall fail short of our purpose. The door to the true ideal has been opened by the missionaries."

In closing his remarks, President Gates offered a resolution, which was produced of himself and Maj. Pratt. It read: "Resolved, that the true object of the Indian schools and of Indian management is to accomplish the release of the individual Indian from the slavery of tribal life, and to establish him in the self-supporting freedom of citizenship, and a home in the life of the nation, and that whatever in our present system hinders the attainment of this object should be changed."

### OTHER PAPERS.

"The Correlation of the Industrial and Literary Departments of Indian Schools," read by Superintendent Campbell of Fort Shaw, Mont., discussed the situation of work in the different departments at Fort Shaw and told briefly of the connection between the work in the schoolroom and that in the shop. His paper led to short discussions by Prof. Asbury of Yakima, Wash., and by Superintendent Brown of Michigan.

### TEACHERS' SECTION.

The teachers' section came to order at 10 o'clock a.m. and was presided over by Miss Flora E. Harvey of the Industrial School at Phoenix, Ariz. The music department was led by Miss Estelle Carpenter, supervisor of music, San Francisco, who reviewed the principles of correct breathing, the proper use of the vocal organs with illustrations of children's songs.

Miss Margaret New York City Training School, was the leader of the drawing department; Miss Georgia McManus of Colorado Springs, Colo., explained the long points of system of penmanship, and Miss Lamson of Poquoson, N. M., led the kindergarten section.

"The same departments with the same leaders were held at the afternoon session, and in addition a reading session was conducted by Prof. Farnham of the Ferris Indian School, and by Superintendent Pratt of the Carlisle School.

### INSTITUTE NOTES.

A. O. Wright of Madison, Wis., supervisor of Indian schools for Kansas, Colorado, New Mexico and other western States and Territories, attended an informal lunch to fifty of the visiting Indian instructors at the Broadway Café last evening. Speeches were made by Maj. Pratt of Carlisle, Superintendent Allen, Albuquerque, N. M.; Principal J. B. Brown, Lawrence, Kan., and Miss Laura B. Work of St. George.

W. B. Work of San Francisco, lectured on "Indian Characteristics," and Miss Estelle Carpenter sang last evening at Normal Hall. A small but well-pleased audience attended.

At the Normal School building this (Friday) evening at 8 o'clock Merrill E. Gates, lecturer of the University of Minnesota, will deliver a lecture upon "Life and Teaching." All who are interested in schools are invited.

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## ARIZONA.

### SHERIFF OF YAVAPAI COUNTY LOCATES A MURDERER.

Slayer of Rogers and Wingfield in an Ideal Refuge, but Munds Says He Will Capture Him—Rangers for Sheep.

PRESCOTT (Ariz.) July 18.—[Regular Correspondence.] The Sheriff of Yavapai county, John L. Munds, who, with a posse, is searching for the murderer of R. M. Rodgers and Clinton Wingfield at Camp Verde, July 2, has come in for bloodhounds to put on the trail. The murderer has been located in the Quaking Asp Steeds at Clear Creek, in the reservation of the White Mountain Apaches, on the edge of the Tonto Basin. The country thereabouts is ideal as a refuge for a fugitive from justice. It is mainly a cañon filled with caves so situated that from many localities along its length of thirty miles, one man well armed could easily stand a prolonged siege had he provisions in plenty, and these it is believed the murderer had no difficulty in obtaining.

The Sheriff generally disapproved the appearance as he rode into town suggested that he had seen hard service. He reports that the first suspicion which fastened the crime upon Oscar Wade of Jerome, is undoubtedly a mistake; that the murderer is a man generally known as Charley, who announced that he was the son of a Mormon bishop, and had since been called Bishop. Suspicion was fastened upon Wade when he was seen at the jail, as he had been in the double crime. Steele supplied false clues, which were followed for a time, but soon abandoned. Trusting then to a knowledge of the personnel of the man they were hunting, the posse soon came upon the trail of Bishop, who is well known in the Tonto country.

He had apparently left Camp Verde by the same route by which he had entered, and that he had traveled hampered by a faded horse was known by the trail, as he had repeatedly dismounted to ease the animal, and so afforded his pursuers an opportunity to obtain an impression of his foot, by which they continued to track him after he had killed his horse when finally obliged to abandon the trail. He has been repeatedly seen, but only to vanish quickly in the brush.

The Sheriff says: "He has plenty of grub, water is in abundance in the country, and it may be months before you hear from me again. But I am going to get him if I go broke and have to keep on the trail until my term of office expires."

Two men, John Cameron and Lee Cutsforth, who have been arrested for complicity in the crime, in that they are believed to have supplied provisions to Bishop, have been lodged in the County Jail at Flagstaff, where charges have been preferred against them of aiding and abetting the murderer to escape the officers of justice. A portion of the Sheriff's posse is at present on guard at Clear Creek, where the murderer is on their way from Flagstaff and Williams, and when they arrive the Sheriff will at once return to the cañon where he believes the murderer is concealed.

Dr. J. F. Hart, formerly of Tempe, who returned recently from the Philippines after a year spent in the Red Cross service, has moved to Jerome, where he will locate permanently. The executors of Levi Bashford have

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filed in the Probate Court an inventory of the estate of the deceased. The property consists mainly of mines, city real estate and personal accounts. The tire valuation being placed at \$108,096.63.

### FLAGSTAFF.

FLAGSTAFF (Ariz.) July 17.—[Regular Correspondence.] As far as it is possible for the stockmen to reduce their holdings, the ranges of Northern Arizona are being given over to the pasturage of sheep only. The two greatest cattle companies of the section are about to go out of business in Arizona. The Aztec Cattle Company is gradually selling off its stock, while the Esperanza Company's cattle are being moved to a new range on the Mexican frontier in Northern New Mexico. The fact has become apparent that the peculiar climatic conditions of the region are unfavorable to the further development of the cattle-growing industry, passing over the fact that it is almost impossible to run cattle and sheep together. Cattle are perennally residents of the district in which they are born. If they are driven away, they drift back, no matter how bare of feed the home range may be. Sheep, on the contrary, are nomadic, and not in the least attached to the country they best know. They are best managed by a man named Clifford, left here ten days ago to inspect some mining claims near the cañon. Arriving at the foot of Bright Angel trail they made a foolhardy attempt to cross the river, which, owing to recent rain, is at this point wild and turbulent, in a small canvas boat. Russell and Tom Fleming succeeded in getting into the boat and were attempting to push along the rocky wall of the cañon when the boat capsized and they were thrown into the rushing stream. Fleming, who is a powerful swimmer, reached the shore safely, but Russell, who could not swim, was whirled rapidly down stream clinging desperately to the overturned boat. When last seen he was in the grasp of a terrific current rushing between walls of rock impossible to scale, even if they could be reached. The nearest point of possible rescue was a point fifteen miles below, at the end

of what is known as Bass's trail. Immediately upon hearing of the accident, W. W. Bass, owner of the trail lost named, and one of the best-known and most expert guides in the cañon, who has had eighteen years' experience of the country, and is familiar with its every detour, left here with another man to search for and if humanly possible to rescue the missing man. Bass is of the opinion that there is a bare possibility that Russell may have succeeded in clinging to the boat until the end of the trail was reached. There the rim is accessible, and a party of men at work in the employ of Bass, building a boat, could be depended upon to give every aid, especially as at the rate at which the boat must travel in the current the point would be reached before darkness had set in.

Actual hope of a survival by Russell is, in fact, very slim. Public opinion here is very optimistic and suggests that in case of escaping from the river Russell may have sustained life upon choke berries, a fruit called amola, and prickly pears, with fused lizards, to light a fire. But as Russell is an entire stranger to the country, were he by miracle saved from the water it is unlikely that he would recognize the edible possibilities of a locality which has little of the reassuring to the inexperienced, and did he carry matches they are utterly carried an item of several hours would be a matter for suspicion. The accident is regarded as a warning to tourists that the dangers of the cañon cannot be braved especially at the time of year when the river is so swollen as to be wild beyond its ordinary condition. Russell has in Syracuse, Neb., a father, mother and sister.

### NEARLY DECAPITATED.

Sudden Death of a Railroad Man at Saugus Yesterday.

Robert J. Dunlop, a railroad man formerly in the employ of the Denver and Rio Grande Railroad in Colorado, who came to California about one month ago, was instantly killed at 10 o'clock yesterday morning at Saugus. He had a letter in his pocket

from the yardmaster at Needles telling him that he could get employment here. Dunlop walked from Newhall to Saugus, where he boarded the caboose of a freight train. He was standing on the steps when an engine backed up against the car, giving it a sudden lurch. Dunlop fell under the car and one of the wheels passed over his neck, almost decapitating him.

Coroner Holland and Deputy Strubel went out yesterday afternoon and held an inquest over the remains, the verdict being accidental death. Dunlop was a member of the Denver Lodge of Railway Trainmen, and leaves a widow in Denver, to which place the remains will be shipped for burial.

### Thornton Coming Back.

Franklin W. Thornton, charged with embezzling stamps at Pasadena while in the government's employ, has been ordered brought to Los Angeles. The order was made by the United States District Court of Ohio, and Marshal Fugate at Cincinnati has notified Thornton will be brought to Los Angeles by the Marshal of the Northern Ohio district.

The University of Georgia has conferred the degree of doctor of divinity upon the Rev. Hugh K. Walker of Los Angeles.

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**France Kicks Out.** July 20. — The Franco-American reciprocity negotiations have again assumed a critical stage and in only three days remain within which a treaty can be framed under the Dingley Act, there is considerable anxiety as to the final success of the treaty. An agitation has begun in France against the agreement on the ground that it threatens to bring American goods in competition with French goods, and to throw out of employment many French workmen.



**(REAL ESTATE RECORD.)**  
**HOUSE AND LOT.**  
**A QUIET WEEK IN THE REAL ESTATE MARKET.**  
 San Fernando Valley Property Beginning to Come Into Demand—Sale of a Ranch.  
 Greedy Property-owners Blocking the Way of Echo Park Improvement—They May Be Left.  
 Improvements Needed in American Cities—Female Real Estate Agents in the East—Many New Buildings Planned.

The past week has been a comparatively quiet one in local real estate circles, which is largely due to the fact that many dealers and agents are out of town for the summer vacation. Quite a number of small trades have been closed up during the week, but few transactions of great importance have been reported.

**A COUNTRY LAND DEAL.**  
 The section north of Los Angeles city in the San Fernando and adjoining valleys has been much neglected by the investor during the past twelve years, since the time of the real estate boom toward the close of which period an attempt was made with only moderate success to start settlement in that section. For some reason or other it has been found difficult to interest investors up to that way. This is doubtless, to a great extent, due to the fact that transportation facilities have been poor. The San Fernando Valley depends entirely upon the main line of the Southern Pacific Company. Of late, however, the work on the extension of the coast line of the Southern Pacific north of Santa Barbara, and the other work that is being done beyond Chatsworth Park to extend a line from the Simi Pass has caused more inquiry for property in what is certainly one of the most attractive sections of Los Angeles county, namely, the foothill section, studded with live oaks, one the west side of the great San Fernando Valley, the granary of Southern California.

A deal was consummated this week in which a picturesque ranch of 724 acres, near Chatsworth Park, changed hands. It is the Reyes ranch, and was sold by M. L. Reyes and his wife to Maud Rice-Ibbetson, for a consideration of \$10,000, part cash. The purchaser gives three houses on the east side of Leola street, between Twenty-second and Twenty-fourth streets, and the buyer assumes a mortgage of \$5500 cash. There are 300 acres under cultivation on the ranch, which is about one-third hill, one-third mountain and one-third valley.

**THE TWO CHICAGOS.**  
 That Chicago people, generally, have a special affinity for our sunny clime is evidenced by the large and increasing colony of Chicagoans who now make their homes in Los Angeles, Pasadena or vicinity. This, of course, induces others from Chicago to cast their lot with us. As a result of the National Educational meeting quite a number of persons from the "Windy City," who took advantage of that excursion, have decided to locate here and many have listed their eastern property for exchange with the local real estate agents. The California Real Estate Exchange, which makes a specialty of Chicago real estate, has just effected an exchange between Adam P. D. Meyer of this city and A. H. Hovey of Chicago, whereby the former transfers a handsome home and grounds, 146x150 feet at the southwest corner of Maple avenue and Pico street, to Mr. Hovey, who gives two flat buildings in Chicago. Mr. Hovey, who is a retired Board of Trade merchant, will come out with his family in the fall. His daughter, Mrs. W. O. Jackson, is a resident of Prospect Park, where Mr. Jackson's ten-acre suburban home is situated.

**ECHO PARK BOULEVARD.**  
 In writing recently about the proposed improvement of Echo Park, and the construction of a boulevard along Lake Shore avenue to connect the business center with Echo and Glendale parks, The Times stated that the carrying out of the improvement depended mainly on the good sense and moderation shown by interested parties, owners, and that if exorbitant prices should be asked by those whose property it was sought to acquire the scheme might be abandoned. It is partially accomplished. As mentioned at the time, some property-owners on the piece of low land between Echo Park and Temple street are asking ridiculous figures for their holdings in some cases more than three times what the property is worth. The result of this will now probably be that the proposed improvement of the piece south of Echo Park, toward Temple street, will be abandoned and the improvement confined to the piece of land between the park and the Santa Monica electric railroad, where the property-owners are inclined to be more reasonable in their demands. Meanwhile, the plan for the construction of the boulevard is progressing. A petition asking for the improvement has been signed by owners of 8000 feet of frontage out of 10,500 feet. This includes a frontage of 2000 feet along the line of Echo Park, signed by Mayor Eaton at the request of the Council. The City Engineer is now engaged in establishing the grade of the boulevard.

**GOVERNMENT LAND.**  
 The following figures, furnished by the United States Land Office, showing the amount of land in Southern California counties taken up and still open, are useful for reference:  
 Kern has 568,524 acres occupied; Los Angeles, 1,306,142; Orange, 690,676; Riverside, 613,997; Santa Barbara, 699,827; San Diego, 1,263,052; Santa Clara, 179,246; and Ventura, 434,391, making a grand total of 5,454,855. Unoccupied land Kern has 308,245; Los Angeles, 477,448; Orange, 20,417; Riverside, 1,944,474; San Bernardino, 2,462,480; San Diego, 2,514,833; Santa Barbara, 185,653; and Ventura 84,344, making a total of 8,348,214. The total area of land surface in the eight counties is 24,027,000 acres.

**IMPROVING AMERICAN CITIES.**  
 In the rush and whirl which has made America the greatest of nations in a short hundred years it is not strange that our cities have, like Topsy, "grown up" with but little care or thought for anything save the almighty dollar. Vast concourses of people have huddled together, to live, strive, pass to the land beyond, others come and take their places and make new places, all engaged in upbuilding a race, a nation, in fortune-seeking. But now we are no longer an infant nation. Rich and prosperous, it is time for some further thought to be given those pleasing and necessary accessories of life—health and comfort—found in English and continental Europe. The Land and Title Register says:

recreation and athletic grounds; drinking fountains everywhere for horses, dogs and the birds, as well as mankind; national guard armories, great public auditoriums, where conventions may be held and where free or nominal-priced concerts, lectures, art displays may be given, where in the winter an amateur circus may please and interest both old and young, and museums in which to gather trophies, curios and keep sakes; clanging bells and shrieking whistles should be minimized in their needless and nerve-destroying air-puncturing; the vile posters now frescoing so many walls should be suppressed; plain and durable signs giving the names of streets should appear on every corner; wood sidewalks should be prohibited; unsightly, rickety fences torn out, rigid sanitation laws made and enforced which would leave no dirt or rubbish over night; weeds and rank vegetation rooted out; streets should be lighted when it is dark, regardless of the antediluvian moonlight schedule; sprinkling done when sprinkling is needed, not when it suits an indifferent contractor or driver; a monument, statue or memorial shaft of some kind should grace every triangle, park or open place; the smoke nuisance can and should be abated; expectorating in street cars and upon sidewalks should be severely punished. "In the older cities of the East these and other features are receiving attention, while a sentiment toward better municipal conditions is growing throughout the land. Civic clubs, women's civic societies, business organizations are everywhere studying the problem of better cities, better health, more amusement and recreation for the poor. Men of wealth—like Andrew Carnegie—are pausing in the pursuit of money to build great libraries and institutes of science and learning. Municipal authorities are (at last, to an extent) giving some thought to these great problems, though by far too little is as yet performed by them. "It costs so little in either time or money to round off the ragged corners of the city, to make it more attractive, the wonder is more is not done. In this, as other things, public sentiment is slowly but surely crystallizing. When once the idea takes root, when the body politic calls for cleanliness, convenience and artistic finish, then indeed will the day of disappearing crudities have arrived."

**FEMALE REAL ESTATE AGENTS.**  
 The female real estate drummer has made her appearance in New York and is said to be quite a success. According to the New York Sun, several women are doing a good business, visiting offices and stores with lots for sale in new subdivisions. Regarding one of these rustlers the Sun says: "The best real estate saleswoman I know of is 28 years old. She works for an apartment firm. She shows every inch of ground from the far side of Westchester to the Battery. She knows which way fashion has gone in every district of the city, and when a neighbor has bought or built or is about to build in any given locality she is quick to seize on this as an entering wedge for her section. If there is a better mode of transportation about to be established or any new facilities likely to come to the neighborhood from an up-to-date, live young preacher to a promising golf club or literary society, she is on it and works it for its full worth. She has a born instinct for figures, and business terms that are Sanscrit to the normal woman come naturally to her. She is, moreover, something of a dealster, and she really believes in all the good points she brings forward."

**BUILDING.**  
 Among the contracts reported by the Builder and Contractor as having been let are the following:  
 E. Wilson is having a two-story seven-room frame residence built on the west side of Westlake avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets.  
 A two-story seven-room frame residence on the east side of Hartford street, north of Seventh street, for the Adams-Phillips Company.  
 Two two-story frame residences on the east side of Juliette avenue, between Adams and Twenty-fourth streets for F. Grass.  
 A two-story frame residence for Dr. A. J. Scholl to be built on the northeast corner of Fourteenth and Main streets.  
 A two-story eleven-room frame residence for Mrs. Anna B. Southwick, to be built on the south side of Twentieth street, near Vermont avenue.  
 A two-story frame apartment house to be built on the northwest corner of College and Buena Vista streets for Mrs. Louisa Schmidt.  
 A one-story and a half stable, carriage house and laundry for W. F. Botzford, to be built at the northeast corner of Lucas and Shatto streets. This building will be one of the most complete private stables in the city, and will cost about \$5000.  
 The following permits of \$2000 and over were issued by the City Superintendent of Buildings:  
 Dr. A. J. Scholl, two-story ten-room frame residence, northeast corner of Fourteenth and Main streets; \$5500.  
 F. Grass, two-story frame residence, east side of Juliette avenue, between Twenty-fourth and Adams streets; \$3000.  
 Mrs. Louisa Schmidt, two-story twenty-two-room frame apartment house, northwest corner Buena Vista and College streets; \$5000.  
 Adams-Phillips Company, two-story seven-room frame residence, east side of Hartford street, north of Seventh; \$3200.  
 Mrs. Anna B. Southwick, two-story eleven-room frame residence, south side of Twentieth street, east of Vermont avenue; \$2500.  
 Ida D. Stanton, two-story frame residence, Westlake avenue, between Arnold and Maryland; \$2000.  
 O. Bauer, two-story nine-room frame residence, west side Vermont avenue, facing Thirtieth street; \$3000.

**COURTESY CASES.**  
**Trial of Black et al Begun—Difficulty in Getting a Jury.**  
 An effort was made yesterday to impel a jury to try F. D. Black and Fred Blake on the charge of committing a misdemeanor by selling pools on courting matches at Agricultural Park July 2. This is the first of three trials for selling pools, and general for cruelty to animals, in connection with the dog races. From the present rate of progress it will take several weeks to clear the docket of these cases, as the work of finding suitable juries is very tedious. Out of a venire of sixty summoned yesterday, only forty-five responded, and of these only six were accepted. At least one of the jurors sent out for duty was very ill, and the chances are that it will cost some of them dearly to purge themselves of contempt of court.  
 Two real estate men, Larkins and McIntosh, narrowly escaped punishment yesterday for the ill-grace with which they accepted summons for jury service. Justice Morgan has given warning that he will countenance no more trifling with the processes of the court, and he has made up his mind that policemen who are detailed to serve jury notices shall be protected. Officer Tom Rico, who is reputed to be one of the most urbane and gentlemanly of officers, ever sent out for duty material for juries, has been subjected to shameful abuse in the last few days for performing his duty. Rico has kept his temper and submitted tamely to the uncalculated and undeserved treatment, but news of the occurrence has reached the ears of the court, with the result that he may go hard with the next citizen who may

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take it upon himself to bully an officer who is but obeying the instructions of the court.  
 Having run out of jury material yesterday afternoon, a fresh venire of sixty talsmen was ordered to be summoned, returnable at 9:30 o'clock this morning, to which hour an adjournment was taken, in the case of the People vs. Black et al. Considerable interest is taken in the trial, both by members of the Good Government Alliance of University and dog men and other sports.  
 The chief line of defense in the pool selling cases will be based on the alleged unconstitutionality of the ordinance which permits the selling of pools on local horse races, and prohibits similar traffic in pools on dog races and other contests. Mayor Phelan recently vetoed an ordinance passed by the Supervisors of San Francisco city and county, legalizing the selling of pools on courting, because it discriminated between two forms of gambling of a similar nature, pools on horse races being unlawful in San Francisco. The dog men derive much comfort from this action of Mayor Phelan, as they say the same conditions exist here as in San Francisco, with the difference that courting is the sport tabooed by the local anti-pool-selling ordinance, while horse-racing pools are barred out in the northern city.

**CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.**

**National Export Exposition—Public Lecture This Evening.**  
 President Spason of the Chamber of Commerce, appointed the following committee to take up the matter of being represented at the National Export Exposition, to be held in Philadelphia from September 4 to November 30, either with an exhibit, or by sending on a delegation of business men interested in the export trade to confer with the representatives of the foreign governments, who, it is understood, will be in attendance for the purpose of posting themselves on the export features of this country: M. J. Newmark, Abe Haas, J. D. Hooker, Henry W. Louis, W. C. Patterson, J. O. Koepfl, W. G. Kerckhoff, Eugene Germain, P. W. Braun, C. B. Pironi, J. Loew, Fred Baker, M. Welch.  
 Mrs. Frona Eunice Wait will deliver her celebrated free illustrated lecture on "A Zigzag Journey Through the Vineyard of California," in the assembly room of the chamber this evening at 8 o'clock, and the entrance on Fourth street will be open. The public is invited. This feature has been delivered throughout the United States by Mrs. Wait to large and cultured audiences, and has been highly commended on by the advantages derived therefrom. The different subjects will be illustrated by colored stereopticon plates. Mrs. Wait is an honor member of the State Board of Horticulture.  
 New exhibits received by the chamber are: From Charles Freiburg, Tulaca, apricots; William Garmes, city, double banana; J. H. Dingman, Burbank, prunes; Charles H. Richardson, Pasadena, China mandarin oranges; Mrs. Hoffman, Palmdale, wheat in sheaf.

**FINED FOR CRUELTY.**

**A Horse-owner Punished for Beating His Animal.**  
 Justice Morgan fined John Stewart \$20 yesterday for cruel treatment of a horse. Stewart is the owner of a high-strung mare, which he tied up to a tree at his home in the city, near Orchard avenue, a few days ago, and beat unmercifully in an attempt to break the animal of the habit of kicking when frightened by harness. The mare broke away while being beaten; Stewart recaptured her, tied a rope to her lower jaw, which he cinched tightly, and by way of punishment, then repeated the beating with a heavy tug, occasionally varying the punishment by kicking the animal in the stomach. Neighbors who witnessed the brutal act complained to Humane Officer Craig, who investigated the case and decided to make an example of the cruel horse-owner.  
 Stewart admitted that he whipped the mare, but did not consider that he had practiced any undue cruelty. He is a teamster and prides himself on his knowledge of horses and their proper treatment. Justice Morgan thought Stewart's moral sense was rather blunted, and by way of a lesson, he fined him \$20. Stewart still protested his innocence, and talked about appealing the case, but after thinking the matter over he decided to accept the fine and charged the expense up to his experience account.  
 Humane Officer Craig says there are several more cases of cruelty to animals in this city, and he intends to make it his business to see that the persons responsible for it are brought to justice. Matters of this kind reported to him at his office in the Y.M.C.A. building will receive prompt attention.

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Souvenirs at Winkler's, 248 S. Bwy. Pairs repaired, D. Bonoff, 247 S. Bwy.

James P. Nell of Fresno county has filed a petition in bankruptcy in the United States District Court. He fixes his liabilities at \$170,55, and his assets at \$39,000.

There are undelivered telegrams at the Western Union telegraph office for Mrs. E. Decker, B. Rivera, J. S. Briggs, City Street Improvement Company, and Tom Hampton.

In order to prevent possible thefts, the Board of Education last night instructed Principal W. H. Housh to permit no one except teachers to enter the High School building during the summer.

Quon Fung and Chong Quock Yim, two Chinamen, ordered deported by United States Commissioner Prince, at Fresno, have given notice of an appeal, and the United States District Attorney has been notified.

Arizona is to the front with the first grapes of the season, a box of this fruit of fine quality and thoroughly ripened having reached The Times yesterday, through the courtesy of V. E. Messenger at Glendale, in that Territory.

John Rudolph Ahi, 11 years old, has run away from the Los Angeles Orphan's Home. The police have been notified to keep a lookout for him, and if found it is requested that Mrs. C. A. Ahi of No. 1127 West Seventh street be communicated with.

Tom Num and Wong Heng Heng have been taken to San Francisco by the United States Marshal for deportation. The Chinamen were ordered deported, respectively, by United States Commissioner Knoles, San Diego, and United States Commissioner Owen of this city.

There have been fewer arrests for drunkenness in the last ten days than in almost any other like period in recent years. There was only one prisoner in the Police Court dock yesterday.

The lone victim was Francis Selby of the Soldiers' Home, who had imbibed a drop too much. He was considered let him off with a fine of \$1.

Justice Austin broke away from his vacation long enough yesterday to attend to several civil cases which have been pending in his court. One of these is the case of Webster vs. Bartlett, a suit to collect rent for piano storage. A physician's certificate, signed by Dr. Ralph Hagan, was filed as evidence that the defendant was too ill to appear in court. A. G. Bartlett, the former member of the Board of Education from the Third Ward, and defendant in the action named, has been very sick for several months.

## PERSONALS.

M. J. Wright, Surveyor-General of California, is in the city.

E. Kellner of Phoenix and Globe, Ariz., is here for the season.

Postmaster Mathews left Monday for an extended tour up the coast. He will stop at San Francisco and then Spokane, going afterward into British Columbia.

Charles Howard Shinn, Inspector of California stations of the University of California, is at the Natick. He is in the city to attend the national convention of the American Forestry Association.

Lieut. L. S. Chappelle received instructions yesterday evening to report at Vancouver Barracks as soon as practicable. He will start north on the owl train tomorrow and hopes soon to be on his way to Manila.

T. A. Riordan, president of the Arizona Lumber and Timber Company of Flagstaff, Ariz., is at the Westminster with his wife and daughter. He is on his way to San Francisco to attend a meeting of the board of directors of his company.

O. J. Ellsworth, formerly a police officer at San Diego, who has been prospecting around Dawson City for the past two years, is in Los Angeles. Ellsworth says that fortune has smiled on him in the icy regions, and displays a well-filled wallet to substantiate his assertions.

J. H. Corbett of Petaluma, Cal., is visiting at the residence of his nephew and niece, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shand of No. 827 West Tenth street. Mr. Corbett has visited the surrounding towns and country, and is so favorably impressed with this vicinity that he is seriously contemplating disposing of his interests at Petaluma and making his home in Los Angeles.

A. de la Torre, Jr., Deputy Commissioner of Immigration at the port of San Francisco, arrived here yesterday on business for the government in regard to immigration matters. During the recent Spanish war Mr. de la Torre acted as assistant United States secret-service officer in this State. In addition to his duties as an immigration officer, he has also assisted the government in the detection of counterfeiters in this State. He is at present staying at the Westminster.

## GOLD AT SAN ROQUE.

One Returned Prospector Says There Is Plenty of It.

Ben Barney, No. 822 South Hope street, went to San Roque with the Rambler party last month, and has just returned. He says there is plenty of gold there, contrary to the statements of others, and from \$25,000 to \$250,000 a month is being taken out. Mr. Barney came overland from Ensenada to San Diego with a party of twenty and says they had about \$17,000 worth of the yellow metal, which they turned over to the Mexican customs officers at Ensenada, and that it is now on the way to this city. The San Roque mines, he says, are no good as placers, but promise to develop into the best on the coast for quartz.

"There are from 1200 to 1500 miners at San Roque," said Mr. Barney, "and of that number perhaps one hundred and fifty are Americans. The rest are Mexicans and Yaquis, who will not prospect, but watch the Americans do so and locate near them when they make a strike. It is impossible to tell how much gold is taken out because the miners 'keep it quiet' to avoid paying duties."

Mr. Barney says he is going back when cooler weather comes. His explanation of the general belief that the mines are worthless is that stories to that effect are told by prospectors who never get nearer than within twenty miles of the mines proper.

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## BACK FROM THE KLONDIKE.

Ex-Sheriff Gibson and Party Have Made Their Last Clean-up.

E. D. Gibson, former Sheriff of Los Angeles county, has returned from Alaska, whither he was lured by the gold excitement a year and a half ago. Gibson and three companions left Los Angeles January 21, 1898, and arrived at Dawson June 17. After spending a year in the mines on Forty-mile Creek and on the streams around Dawson, they concluded that they had had enough of life in the far north, so with the opening of navigation in the Yukon this summer they prepared to go home.

The other members of the party were W. R. Beardslee of Duarte, J. A. Watt and J. L. Fishback. Gibson, Beardslee and Watt left Dawson on one of the Alaska Exploration Company's boats June 24 and went to St. Michael. Gibson and Beardslee left the latter place July 4, and arrived at San Francisco on the 18th. Beardslee returned to his home at Duarte Wednesday, and Gibson, who tarried in San Francisco one day longer, arrived here yesterday.

Watt, who remained in St. Michael, is expected home shortly, and Fishback, whom they left at Dawson, is also due here in a month or six weeks. Mr. Gibson looks somewhat bronzed and thin, but otherwise he has stood the hardships of his long journey and the rigors of the climate very well. He is rather reticent about the success of his enterprise, but says he did not lose any money. He suspected of most of his interests before leaving Dawson, and does not propose to go back. He says experienced men with capital can make money in the Klondike, but others would better keep away. Only two creeks, Eldorado and Bonanza, he says, have panned out according to expectations, although Funks Creek and a few others are doing fairly well.

It was Mr. Gibson's intention to go to Cape Nome before coming home, but inquired the wheel and found him that the diggings there are a fake.

## MINOR LOSSES.

Thefts Reported to the Police Detectives Yesterday.

Maj. Nolan, superintendent of the N.E.A. headquarters at No. 427 South Spring street, reported to the detectives yesterday that two tennis racquets had been stolen from the rooms.

Some one who wanted a thin summer garment stole a black luster coat from one Bodkin, an employee of the Independent printing office on South Broadway. The matter was reported to the detectives.

J. W. Butler, of No. 1307 Santa Fe avenue, reported the theft from his place of a pair of gold eye-glasses. G. W. Smith, corner of Daly street and Avenue 27, East Los Angeles, rented a wheel to a woman on June 22. Neither the wheel nor the woman have been seen since.

S. H. Drew, of No. 398 South Burlington avenue, reported that a watch had been stolen from his vest, which was hanging up at his place of employment.

J. E. Brada reported that a white fox terrier is missing from Dr. Withers' residence, No. 2511 South Main street.

Messenger Boy Injured.

Edgar Galbraith, messenger boy No. 15 for the Los Angeles District Messenger Company, was sent to the Receiving Hospital yesterday afternoon.

Young Galbraith said that he was riding his bicycle on South Main street, and was alongside a wagon going in the same direction. Another team approached from the south, but was on the wrong side of the street, and in turning to the right the latter team blocked his progress, he being wedged in between the two teams. He was thrown to the ground, but cannot remember whether or not either of the wheels passed over his body.

When examined at the hospital Dr. Hagan found that his back had been severely bruised and that his right leg was bruised. Some of his fellow-messengers secured a hack and removed him to his home at No. 225 East Adams street.

Marriage Licenses.

Following were the marriage licenses issued yesterday from the office of the County Clerk:

William Burness, aged 21, a native of Scotland, and Arcadia DeWitt, aged 17, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles. The mother gives consent to her daughter's marriage.

Charles E. Mulholland, aged 35, a native of Ohio, and Laura T. Young, aged 23, a native of Illinois; both residents of this city.

Alfred Lundquist, aged 26, a native of Nebraska, and Dora E. Reed, aged 25, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Andrew T. Garey, Jr., aged 22, a native of California, and Clara J. Hamilton, aged 20, a native of Nevada; both residents of Los Angeles.

Charles H. Rose, aged 23, a native of Illinois, and Emma Anderson, aged 23, a native of Nebraska; both residents of this city.

Oscar B. Thurman, aged 23, a native of Georgia, and a resident of Santa Monica, and Mollie J. Robinson, aged 26, a native of Texas and a resident of Los Angeles.

Edmund Percival Draeske, aged 29, a native of Canada and a resident of Denver, and Josephine Marmout, aged 22, a native of Illinois and a resident of Los Angeles.

BIRTH RECORD.

DONAVAN—July 19, to the wife of J. G. Donovan, Highland Park, a girl.

DEATH RECORD.

MAYER—In this city, July 20, Minnie, beloved wife of George Mayer, aged 30 years. PEARMAN—July 20, at the family residence, No. 206 West Twenty-seventh street, Mary Hannah PEARMAN (Minn.) papers please copy. STUART—Suddenly in Los Angeles, Cal., July 20, 1899, Ronald Ardelbert Stuart of New York.

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THIRD FLOOR.

**Golf Sailors**  
Latest of swell dom's fancies, broad brimmed golf sailors in rough or fine straw braid trimmed with wide folded bands and immense quills. Our buyer has just sent them out from New York. They are reasonably priced; selling at \$2.50, \$2.25, \$1.75 and \$1.50.

SECOND FLOOR.

**Women's Oxfords**  
Women's tan oxfords, made with turn soles, cloth or stock tops and new round toes, neat and stylish in appearance and of a fine wearing quality, good shoes for out-going use; on sale at \$1.50.

SOUTH ENTRANCE.

**Handsome Cretonnes**  
About 1500 yards of Cretonne in mill lengths have just arrived. They were bought at our own price. Beautiful stripes, Oriental and floral effects in lengths of from 1 to 10 yards, but as much as 50 yards of a pattern; would be cheap at 15c a yard; your choice of a large assortment at 10c.

FOURTH FLOOR.

**A HAMBURGER & SONS**  
THE GREATER PEOPLE'S STORE LOS ANGELES

**Silk Waists**  
Some more of those beautiful corded silk waists of which we told you in last Sunday's ad. Ready cash and a buyer on the spot secured these from a manufacturer who was financially embarrassed. They are exactly like those we sold a month ago at \$5.95; they are yours for less than the cost of \$2.95 making.

SECOND FLOOR.

**Girls' Shoes**  
A \$2.00 shoe for \$1.50 button and lace shoes in tan, with cloth or kid tops and spring heels, have new coin toes, sizes 11 to 2; on sale at \$1.50.

SOUTH ENTRANCE.

**Dress Skirts**  
A big shipment of corded chambray skirts has just been received. Blue and tan grounds with white cords, handsomely trimmed around the bottom with three rows of the same material. These skirts are as scarce as they are popular and should be sold at \$2.98; instead we say \$1.98.

SECOND FLOOR.

**Dress Skirts**  
Those very scarce and much wanted wash skirts in denim, covert and granite cloths are here at bargain prices. The very newest of blues, browns and tans, perfectly made and elaborately trimmed. A marked event of the Midsummer Sale, at \$2.98.

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Ladies' Boots—Kid lace boot, tan or black, flexible soles and extra good value, A to E, 3 to 8, \$2.50. Ladies' black velvety kid button boots, sole, cut to order, \$2.50. Ladies' old lines of \$3.00 and \$3.50 shoes, small sizes, cut to order, \$1.00.

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